

January 14, 1966

Mr. Wesley G. Grapp
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Los Angeles, California

Dear Mr. Grapp:

The agents in the Los Angeles Division who participated in the investigation of the Extortion case involving [redacted] performed in an excellent fashion and it is a pleasure to commend them, through you.

These men handled their particular responsibilities with unusual enthusiasm and in a well-coordinated manner, with the result that their performance as a team was noteworthy. The prompt solution of this matter can be ascribed in no small degree to their effective actions and I want you to convey my appreciation to them.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

1 - SAC, Los Angeles (Personal Attention)

Place a copy of this letter in files of personnel who participated in this matter but were not individually recognized.

1 - [redacted] (Sent Direct)

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Based on memo Rosen-DeLoach 1/5/66 and addendum Administrative Division 1/7/66 re [redacted] aka; [redacted] Victim; Extortion.

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January 24, 1966

PERSONAL ATTENTION

Mr. Wesley G. Grapp
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Los Angeles, California

Dear Mr. Grapp:

Bureau records indicate that Time Spent in Office by Agents (TIO) in the Los Angeles Division was 23.5 per cent in October, 24 per cent in November and 24.5 per cent in December. This upward trend is most undesirable and every effort should be made to keep TIO as low as possible, consistent with the proper handling of official responsibilities. This matter should receive the close attention of you and your supervisory personnel.

Sincerely yours,
J. Edgar Hoover

John Edgar Hoover
Director

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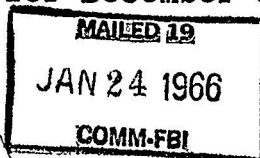
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- 1 - Inspection Division
- 1 - SOG, Los Angeles Field Office File

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NOTE: Letters being written to SACs of offices where TIO for December considered high.



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SAC, Los Angeles

February 18, 1966

Director, FBI

PERSONAL ATTENTION

IN-SERVICE AND/OR CONFERENCES

☒ You are hereby instructed to report to Seat of Government for Two-Day Conferences commencing September 12, 1966.

☐ You should instruct _____ Special Agent(s) to report to Seat of Government, Room 5240, at 9:30 A. M. Monday, _____ for attendance at an In-Service Training Course for a period of twelve days. You should not schedule Agents on probation, limited duty, or those recommended for specialized training.

☐ You should instruct the following Agent(s) to report to Seat of Government, Room 5240, at 9:30 A. M. Monday, _____ for attendance at an In-Service Training Course for a period of twelve days:

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Confirm attendance.

☐ There are enclosed statements with respect to the In-Service Training Course which you should furnish to the Special Agent(s).

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Personnel file of Wesley G. Grapp

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**UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION**

*In Reply, Please Refer to
File No.*

Director
Federal Bureau of Investigation
United States Department of Justice
Washington, D. C. 20535

Dear Sir:

For inclusion in the fund to be paid to the designated beneficiary of any Special Agent of the FBI who has previously contributed to this fund and who dies from any cause except self-destruction while employed as a Special Agent, I am forwarding herewith (by Check - Money Order) the sum of \$10, payable to S.A.I.F., to be included in said fund. Payment will be made for death by self-destruction after the Agent has been a member of the fund for a continuous period of two years. It is understood and agreed that the sum tendered herewith is a voluntary, gratuitous contribution to said fund which I understand is to be administered in the following manner.

The Director of the FBI will appoint a committee which shall consider all matters pertaining to the acquisition, safe keeping and expending of said fund, which committee will recommend appropriate action to the Director in pertinent matters. The Assistant Director of the Administrative Division of the FBI shall receive all contributions and account for same to the Director. Upon the death of any Special Agent who is a member of said fund the appointed committee will consider the case and submit a recommendation to the Director as to its conclusions. Appropriate instructions will then be issued to the Assistant Director of the Administrative Division, directing him to pay to the designated beneficiary the sum of \$10,000. The liability of the fund shall not under any circumstances exceed the amount of monies in the fund at the time any liability shall occur.

EXECUTE IN DUPLICATE AND SUBMIT BOTH COPIES TO THE BUREAU

Official Bureau Name (please type or print)	Date	Office of Assignment (or SOG Division)
SAC WESLEY G. GRAPP	12/17/65	Los Angeles

The following person is designated as my beneficiary for Special Agents Insurance Fund:

Name (primary beneficiary; use given first name if female)	Relationship
CAROLYN K. GRAPP	Wife

Address
4800 Abbeyville Ave., Woodland Hills, California 91364

Name (contingent beneficiary, if desired; use given first name if female)	Relationship

Address

Do you desire to designate the above-listed beneficiaries as the beneficiary and contingent beneficiary respectively of the Chas. S. Ross Fund as well? ☒ Yes ☐ No If not, the entire following portion must be executed.

The following person is designated as my beneficiary under the Chas. S. Ross Fund providing \$1500 death benefit to beneficiary of agents killed in the line of duty, other than travel accidents.

Name (primary beneficiary; use given first name if female)	Relationship

Address

Name (contingent beneficiary, if desired; use given first name if female)	Relationship

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Payment Made
Special Agents Insurance Fund

Very truly yours,

J. Edgar Hoover, Director

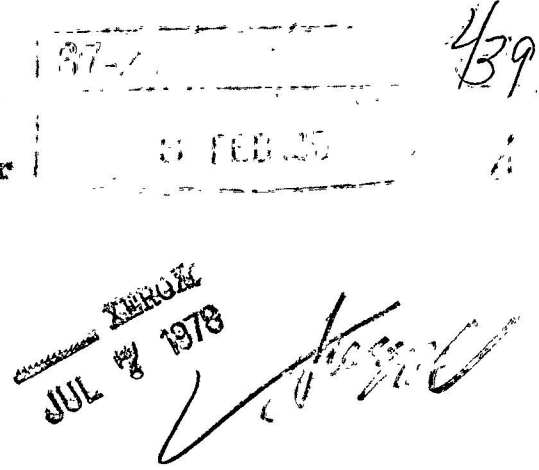
W. G. Grapp L.A.
Special Agent

PERSONAL ATTENTION

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According to Bureau records Time Spent in Office by Agents (TIO) in the Los Angeles Office for January was 23.6 per cent. While this is a decrease from the figure for December, it is considered high. It should be impressed upon all Agent personnel to keep TIO to a minimum in the discharge of official business. It will be your personal responsibility to insure this is done.

John Edgar Hoover
Director



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1 - Los Angeles Field Office File

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TO : DIRECTOR, FBI

DATE: 2/8/66

FROM : SAC, LOS ANGELES (80-93)

SUBJECT: LOS ANGELES COUNTY
PEACE OFFICERS ASSOCIATION
LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA

POLICE ASSOCIATION

For the information of the Bureau, IVAN A. ROBINSON (NA), Chief of Police, Downey, California, and President of the Los Angeles County Peace Officers Association, appointed SAC WESLEY G. GRAPP to a three-year appointment on the Executive Committee which will expire December 31, 1968.

Additionally, Chief ROBINSON appointed SAC GRAPP as a member of the Law and Legislative Committee for the year 1966.

The above-captioned Association is reported to be the third largest dues-paying law enforcement organization in the nation with a membership of over 4,500 representing 18,000 people in law enforcement.

As the Bureau has previously been advised by separate communication, SAC GRAPP is also on the Executive Committee of the California Peace Officers Association. He recently received a new three-year appointment. The California Peace Officers Association is reported to be the largest law enforcement organization in the nation of full-time, dues-paying members exceeding 7,500 and speaks for in excess of 28,000 law enforcement officers in California.

The above referred to key appointments should enable the FBI to keep abreast of what is transpiring in these two key organizations and to protect the best interests of the Bureau.

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February 25, 1966

Mr. Wesley G. Grapp
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Los Angeles, California

Dear Mr. Grapp:

I want to commend, through you, Assistant Special Agent in Charge Arnold C. Larson, Supervisor William E. Assmus and the agents who participated in the apprehension of [redacted] one of the subjects of an Interstate Transportation of Stolen Motor Vehicle case, for their excellent performance.

The resourcefulness and close attention to detail Messrs. Larson and Assmus demonstrated in making plans for the arrest of this armed and highly dangerous fugitive were exemplary. The diligent application to duty and alertness the others exercised in carrying out their individual responsibilities and the highly effective teamwork displayed were of much importance in the success realized. I want you to express my thanks to Messrs. Larson and Assmus and convey my appreciation to the others for a job well handled.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

1 - SAC, Los Angeles (Personal Attention)

Place a copy of this letter in files of personnel who participated in this matter but were not individually recognized.

1 - [redacted] (Sent Direct)

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Based on Los Angeles letter 2-11-66 and addendum Special Investigative Division 2-21-66 re SA [redacted] Recommendation for Letter of Commendation. (See over)

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Letter to Mr. Wesley G. Grapp
Los Angeles, California

Copies prepared and attached for placing in files of:

William E. Assmus
Paul W. Gibbs

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Gerald F. Moore

[REDACTED]

Eugene I. Tuggey

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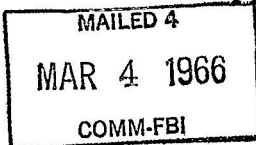
March 4, 1966

Mr. Wesley G. Grapp
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Los Angeles, California

Dear Mr. Grapp:

I am pleased to commend you and, through you, the personnel of the Los Angeles Division for exceeding your quota of Special Agent appointees for Bureau service during the months of January and February, 1966.

This is a splendid accomplishment which indicates the interest, enthusiasm and dedicated efforts put forth by everyone. I want to thank you for your fine leadership and ask that you convey my appreciation to those who assisted.



Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

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Based on memo Adams-Callahan 3/2/66, Special Agent Applicant Recruitment Program.

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Director, FBI

PERSONAL ATTENTION

- 1 - Mr. Felt
- 1 - Mr. Gale
- 1 - Mr. McAndrews
- 1 - Mr. P.J. Mohr

CRIMINAL INTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
LOS ANGELES DIVISION

ReLAlet to Bureau dated 2/18/66 captioned "Interstate Gambling Activities."

The contents of your letter have been considered at the Bureau. The letter reflects a self-satisfied attitude with the mediocre results which your office has recently accomplished.

Bureau records reflect that since July, 1962, Los Angeles has obtained only three convictions in the antigambling field, that is two in the Interstate Transportation in Aid of Racketeering category and one in the Interstate Transmission of Wagering Information category. As you can see, this is a below average performance for an office of your size and potential. Los Angeles' record is unsatisfactory when compared with other offices such as Philadelphia, which had 25 convictions; Seattle, 25; and Washington Field Office, 12. In fact, a small office such as Omaha, had eight convictions for the same period and Newark, in February of this year culminated a successful prosecution by obtaining 12 convictions in one gambling case. Philadelphia, also in February, 1966, was origin in a gambling case which resulted in the arrest of 23 gamblers in the East. This shows what other offices are doing and highlights the necessity for you to emphasize this phase of the Criminal Intelligence Program.

In your letter you say that you are hampered in the development of cases with statistical potential in view of the geographical location of your office. It was pointed out by you that the Los Angeles Division is unique among other field divisions from a geographical standpoint as it is bounded on the north and south by other field offices and on the west by the Pacific Ocean. The eastern border, you point out, is the only one contiguous to another state.

The reasoning is ridiculous and definitely will not be accepted by the Bureau as an excuse for a lack of results in the organized crime field. Miami, which is bounded not just

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Letter to Los Angeles
Re: Criminal Intelligence Program

on three sides, but on all sides by either other field divisions or ocean, recently investigated several cases which culminated in breaking two nationwide gambling operations, two of which were operated by the notorious [redacted] and [redacted] b6 and in which seven arrests were made and will result in the indictment of 16 or more notorious gamblers. Furthermore, to the east b7C of Los Angeles' territory, you have the entire continental United States from which numerous gamblers and hoodlums visit and conduct business with Los Angeles gamblers and hoodlums.

Currently the Los Angeles Division has identified 22 persons as members of La Cosa Nostra. In comparison with other offices, Los Angeles has shown little progress in this regard. For example, Buffalo has identified 34 members; Philadelphia, 91; and Newark, 103. Milwaukee, with far less La Cosa Nostra activity than Los Angeles, has identified 45 members. This weakness was called to the attention of your office by letter of February 18, 1960. This phase of the Criminal Intelligence Program must receive aggressive attention to identify a larger number of members.

In connection with the Top Echelon Criminal Informant Program, your office has developed [redacted] top echelon informants. This is the same number you had a year ago. Los Angeles' record in this regard is not good when compared with Chicago which currently has [redacted] top echelon informants, an increase of 225% b7D from this time last year; Detroit, [redacted], an increase of 25%; b7E Las Vegas, [redacted], an increase of 75%; and Philadelphia, [redacted], an increase of 50%. Your current top echelon informants furnish you with good intelligence-type information; however, development of informants who can furnish cases in the antigambling field which will lead to prosecutions is essential.

While the Criminal Intelligence Program in Los Angeles has made significant contributions in the past, recent progress has been mediocre at best and you are not making the same kind of progress as other offices with similar problems.

The Bureau considers your office as having major La Cosa Nostra activity, and we must fulfill our responsibilities to wipe out this activity in your territory. You must take appropriate remedial steps concerning these aforementioned weaknesses, including any necessary reassignment of personnel to achieve the desired results. If immediate improvement is not forthcoming in the vital areas of convictions, identification of La Cosa Nostra members and top echelon informants, drastic administrative action will be forthcoming.

Letter to Los Angeles
Re: Criminal Intelligence Program

NOTE: The above letter was prompted by LA letter dated 2-18-66 which was in response to Bulet of 1-19-66. LA offered as an excuse for their lack of accomplishments in the anti-gambling field their geographical situation. This excuse is inadequate and this is being pointed out to them. LA's recent accomplishments in statistics, development of TE's and identification of LCN members has been inadequate especially when compared to progress of other offices. A number of letters have been directed to LA concerning these weaknesses but no concrete results have been obtained to date.

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5/21/78
March 14, 1966

Mr. Wesley G. Grapp
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Los Angeles, California

Dear Mr. Grapp:

The agents in the Los Angeles Office who participated in the investigation of the Bank Robbery case involving [redacted] performed in an exemplary manner and it is a pleasure to commend them, through you.

These men, acting as a team, handled their responsibilities in an excellent fashion, locating [redacted] and taking him into custody without incident. Through their alert efforts, this robbery was promptly solved. Please extend my appreciation to them for their splendid services.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

1 - SAC, Los Angeles (Personal Attention)

Based on information submitted, Bureau has concluded that inasmuch as this was a team effort, a general letter to you commending them appears to be more appropriate than individual letters. Place a copy of this letter in files of participating agents.

1 - [redacted] (Sent Direct)

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Based on Los Angeles airtel 3/1/66 and addenda General Investigative Division 3/7/66 and Administrative Division 3/10/66 re: [redacted]

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Letter to Mr. Wesley G. Grapp
FBI, Los Angeles, California

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March 15, 1966

Mr. Wesley G. Grapp
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Los Angeles, California

Dear Mr. Grapp:

I am pleased to commend you and, through you, Assistant Special Agent in Charge [redacted] and the agents in the Los Angeles Division who participated in such an effective manner in the investigation of the Theft of Government Property case involving [redacted] and others.

Each phase of this involved and extensive investigation was pursued with resourcefulness and ingenuity and, through the tireless efforts of you, [redacted] and these agents, success was realized in the indictment of fourteen subjects and in the recovery of much stolen property. I want to express my thanks to you and to [redacted] for the excellent leadership afforded this case and to convey my appreciation to the others for their fine contributions.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

Place a copy of this letter in files of personnel who participated in this matter but were not individually recognized. 1 - [redacted] (Sent Direct)

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Based on memo Rosen-DeLoach 3/7/66 and addendum Administrative Division 3/9/66 re: [redacted] Et al; TGP; Conspiracy.

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March 21, 1966

PERSONAL ATTENTION

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Mr. Wesley G. Grapp
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Los Angeles, California

Dear Mr. Grapp:

Time Spent in Office by Agents (TIO) records at the Bureau disclose that TIO for agents in the Los Angeles Division averaged 23.2 per cent in February, which is a slight decrease from the January figure. While this is a decrease, it is still considered high. You must continue to insure your agent personnel keep TIO to a

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

John Edgar Hoover
Director

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NOTE: Letters being written to SACs of offices where TIO in February considered high.

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March 22, 1966

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Mr. Wesley G. Grapp
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Los Angeles, California

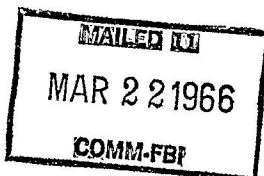
Dear Mr. Grapp:

According to Bureau records the daily overtime average for your office for February was 2 hours and 45 minutes. This is an increase over January and shows a definite need for a downward trend which all your agent personnel must keep in mind in the course of their daily duties. It is expected that you will insure overtime performance is kept to a minimum, consistent with official responsibilities, and this will receive your personal attention so that a reduction will be achieved.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

John Edgar Hoover
Director



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- 1 - Inspection Division
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NOTE: Letters being written to SACs of offices where office overtime average for February, 1966, considered excessive.

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

REPORT OF PERFORMANCE RATING

Name of Employee: WESLEY G. GRAPP

Where Assigned: LOS ANGELES
(Division) (Section, Unit)

Official Position Title and Grade: SPECIAL AGENT IN CHARGE

Rating Period: from APRIL 1, 1965 to MARCH 31, 1966

ADJECTIVE RATING: SATISFACTORY
Outstanding, Excellent, Satisfactory, Unsatisfactory

Employee's
Initials

Rated by:

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Assistant to
the Director

Title

4-1-66
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Reviewed by:

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Associate Director

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Rating Approved by:

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Director

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TYPE OF REPORT

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☒ Annual

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April 22, 1966

PERSONAL ATTENTION

Mr. Wesley G. Grapp
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Los Angeles, California

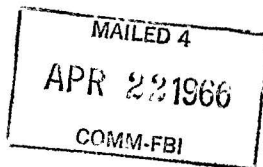
Dear Mr. Grapp:

Bureau records disclose that Time Spent in Office by Agents (TIO) in your office was 22.1 per cent in March. This figure, while a reduction from the previous month, should be further reduced, consistent with the discharge of official business. As a part of your responsibilities you must continue to insure your agent personnel keep TIO to a minimum.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

John Edgar Hoover
Director



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- 1 - SOG, Los Angeles Field Office File

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NOTE: Letters being written to SACs of offices where TIO in March considered high.

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20535

April 1, 1966

MEMORANDUM FOR MR. TOLSON

Mr. Tolson ✓
Mr. DeLoach ✓
Mr. Mohr ✓
Mr. Bishop ✓
Mr. Casper ✓
Mr. Callahan ✓
Mr. Conrad ✓
Mr. Felt ✓
Mr. Gale ✓
Mr. Rosen ✓
Mr. Sullivan ✓
Mr. Tavel ✓
Mr. Trotter ✓
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Miss Holmes ✓
Miss Gandy ✓

On March 7, 1966, I saw Assistant Special Agent in Charge [redacted] of the Los Angeles Field Division, who was attending the Administrative In-Service Training Class. [redacted] makes a generally good appearance. He has only been Assistant Special Agent in Charge since December, 1965, at Los Angeles, prior to that time he was Assistant Special Agent in Charge at Tampa.

I told [redacted] that I realized he had only been at Los Angeles a short period of time, but I did want to indicate to him and he should indicate to Special Agent in Charge Grapp that I was not at all satisfied with the manner in which the Los Angeles Office is being operated. I stated that it had 305 Agents and 194 Clerks and it certainly should be operated in a tighter manner than the record showed.

I referred to the fact that the over-all office delinquency was 8.4% with a substantial number of classifications of cases in excess of 7% delinquency.

I called his attention to the fact that for the first seven months of the current fiscal year when compared with a similar period of the previous fiscal year, the Los Angeles Office had dropped 22% in convictions.

I noted that the Agents in the Los Angeles Office in January were spending 23.6% of their time in the office, which is grossly excessive.

I discussed with him generally the matter of informant coverage, stressing the importance of quality informants in all three areas of criminal, racial, and domestic intelligence informant coverage.

I spoke to [redacted] relative to the inspection of the Los Angeles Office last September at which time it received a rating of only Good in Administrative Operations as well as only Good in Personnel Matters. I told [redacted] that anything less than Very Good was marginal and drifting toward Unsatisfactory. I also went over the 24 instances of administrative action taken against the personnel of the Los Angeles Office during the last six months which reflected gross irresponsibility in measuring up to individual responsibilities upon the part of Agents and Clerks.

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Memorandum for Mr. Tolson

April 1, 1966

I noted that the Los Angeles Office had an average of two hours and thirty-five minutes per day overtime in January, 1966, and I stated that I had not at any time indicated the amount of overtime to be performed, but whatever overtime was performed, it must be absolutely necessary and must be equitably shared by all Agents if they were to receive fringe benefits.

I called [] attention to the fact that the Special Agent in Charge had on several occasions requested substantial increases in personnel to be transferred to the Los Angeles Office and while we had increased it in small numbers, we had not acceded to the original requests of the Special Agent in Charge because since July 1, 1965, the Los Angeles Office recruited only 9 new Agents and this was a very poor showing and an office recruiting such a small number of new Agents could not expect to have a substantial number of Agents assigned to that office when they were not meeting their responsibilities in the recruiting field. b6 b7C

I observed that there were 252 unsolved violations pending in the Los Angeles Office under the Federal Bank Robbery Statute, which was one of the highest in the service.

I discussed at some length with [] the importance of the racial situation in the Los Angeles area in view of the riots in Watts last August and more recently. b6 b7C

I stressed the great importance of the Criminal Intelligence Program in the Los Angeles Field Division and particularly the activities of La Cosa Nostra.

I called attention to the mediocre record of the Los Angeles Office in the substantive gambling violations under the Criminal Intelligence Program. I stated since July, 1962, the Los Angeles Office has obtained only three convictions and this was a very poor showing. I also called his attention to the recent mishandling of the possible gambling case involving [] a member of the Los Angeles Dodgers. b6 b7C

Memorandum for Mr. Tolson

April 1, 1966

While I have indicated above that [] has been in Los Angeles only a very short period of time, it is evident that the Los Angeles Office is not in good condition, and again it is not due to the lack of knowledge of Special Agent in Charge Grapp, who has been in the Bureau for some time and has served in various executive capacities. I think here again there is a certain amount of apathy and a lack of a sense of responsibility upon the part of the Special Agent in Charge in holding each employee to his individual responsibilities. b6 b7C

Very truly yours,

J. E. H.

John Edgar Hoover
Director

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Mr. Tolson	✓
Mr. DeLoach	✓
Mr. Mohr	✓
Mr. Wick	✓
Mr. Casper	✓
Mr. Callahan	✓
Mr. Conrad	✓
Mr. Felt	✓
Mr. Gale	✓
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Mr. Sullivan	✓
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Mr. Trotter	✓
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Miss Holmes	✓
Miss Gandy	✓

Los Angeles, California
April 11, 1966

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Mr. J. Edgar Hoover
Director
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Hoover:

John DeLoach
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My recent performance rating covering the period 4/1/65 to 3/31/66 has been received with the adjective rating of "Satisfactory." I am disappointed in myself in not having kept you personally informed as to certain noteworthy accomplishments during the rating period. Consequently, I am very deeply disappointed in the resulting Performance Rating of Satisfactory. It, of course, denotes mediocre work performance and I have never been satisfied with serving you other than in an "Outstanding" manner. I cannot help but have the impression you may believe I have "let you down."

It is fully realized that you have a great many duties to perform and responsibilities to handle. The thought has occurred that possibly all of the pertinent information was not readily available at the Bureau when my Performance Rating was prepared, such as the statistics for March, 1966. Out of an intense personal loyalty to you and with a spirit of complete cooperation plus disappointment I furnish the following facts. The following data pertains to the rating period and is based upon the records of this office. As you are aware, this Division geographically covers approximately one-half of the state and two thirds of the population, or over twelve million persons. I have been the SAC since 3/1/64.

1. Statistics - For the fiscal year 1965, the Los Angeles Office finished ahead of the previous year in all four categories. In addition, this office led all Divisions in Convictions with 769, which is 157 or 25% more than the second place office. We also led all Divisions in Fugitives apprehended with 1,045, which is 352 or 51% more than the second place office. It was the greatest year in the history of this Division and appears to be the best or one of the best overall records of any Division in the Bureau in peace time. At present and throughout the rating period we led all Divisions in the total

Xerox copies to Mr. Gale, Wick, Rosen, Sullivan, Davidson, [Redacted]

memo. to Callahan 4-15-66 F.D.H./m

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number of Convictions as well as in Fugitives. As of 3/31/66 we had 533 Convictions, which is 149 more, or 39%, than the second place office.⁵ We had 856 Fugitives, which is 280 more, or 49%, than the next office.⁶ As of 3/31/66 this Division was ahead of last year in 3 out of 4 categories being short 95 Convictions compared to the same time last year. Every effort is being made to surpass last year and if it is humanly possible to do so, it will be accomplished. The principal reasons for the deficiency is the decline in Bank Robberies and resulting Bank Robbery Convictions. We are short 62 Bank Robbery Convictions and short 35 Convictions in Veterans Administration Matters. The latter is occasioned by a change in the policy of the Department of Justice. Numerous personal contacts have been had with the U. S. Attorney and there are favorable indications that we can equal or surpass last year. We are doing everything possible. This Division will definitely finish this fiscal year ahead of all other Divisions in the two categories of Convictions and Fugitives as we did last year. This matter has received my close personal attention at all times.

2. Applicant Recruitment - During the rating period, in September, 1965, a quota of 1 Agent per month was established. This quota, calling for 7 Agent applicants during the remainder of the rating period was surpassed by 42%. According to the records of this office 10 Agents entered on duty during the 7 months from September through March.

In January, 1966, we supplied 5 new Agents, the highest number ever contributed by this office in a single month. This was accomplished despite the high rate of employment and very high salaries in the community. Every effort continues to be expended and we will continue to exceed the quota. I was censured on 12/14/65 for failing to meet the quota at that time and was commended by letter on 3/4/66 for the fine subsequent performance of exceeding the quota. During the rating period we interviewed and recommended favorably to the Bureau a total of 91 applicants for the position of Special Agent. We have 3 applicants already appointed and scheduled for the April class and 1 for the June class. In addition, we have 25 applicants presently being processed at the Bureau for possible future appointment. On an overall basis the performance of this office in recent months has exceeded all previous records in this regard. This program, which receives my personal attention, will continue to show the desired results.

3. Bank Robbery Violations - As of 3/31/66 this office had 245 unsolved cases which cannot be closed until all subjects have been identified and prosecution is complete. The oldest such violation is 10/10/62, which is approximately one and one-half years prior to my assignment to this Division. Since that date this office has successfully solved 673 Bank Robbery violations. This is the greatest total number of solutions of any Field Division during a like period of time in the history of the Bureau. I am happy to report that for the first time in over a quarter of a century there has been a substantial decline in recent months in Bank Robberies in this Division. For the first nine months of this fiscal year there is a decline of 110 Bank Robbery violations. Projecting the current Bank Robbery rate to the balance of this fiscal year it should reflect a decline of approximately one-third. Our percentage of Bank Robbery Convictions will not decline that much due to a higher rate of solution. Despite the great number of Bank Robbery violations in this Division plus the many problems of handling such in a big city, including many police jurisdictions, indifference, etc., we have had a high rate of solution. As time goes on the solution rate becomes higher. For example, during the 1964 fiscal year the percentage of solution presently is in excess of 75% and continues to improve. For the 1965 fiscal year it is now 68% and continues to increase. During the 1965 fiscal year we had 180 Bank Robbery Convictions, which is the highest of any Division in history and exceeds the Convictions of each of the two offices tied for second place by 309%. This percentage of Convictions plus the decline in Bank Robbery is a direct result of a positive, aggressive, hard hitting campaign. This matter will continue to receive my close personal attention to insure that everything possible is being done to combat this problem.

4. Miscellaneous Items - The Hoodlum Program needed revitalizing and during the rating period drastic action was taken to accomplish this objective. The results are encouraging. For example, during the rating period there were a total of 7 pending indictments and/or Convictions in gambling violations, which is the largest number to date for this Division. Investigation instituted during that period should result in approximately 15 more indictments and Convictions within the near future. A special Grand Jury is being convened this month and this should result in further disclosures of violations. All phases of organized crime is being afforded aggressive, intelligent and constant attention and I am closely following these matters.

The Watts riots, the most costly and violent of any riots in the history of the country transpired during the rating period. The riots were subsequently investigated by numerous boards and commissions, some of which were politically motivated. From the inception, the Bureau was promptly and fully informed ^{True} and at no time was the FBI drawn into the controversies that followed. As you are aware, I personally handled many facets of this matter.

There have been a few employees assigned to this office, whom I did not recommend for employment, who have performed their duties in a substandard manner. In each instance upon learning of such substandard work performance I immediately checked into the facts and recommended drastic administrative action. I have followed your policy of being "firm but fair."

5. Public and Police Relations - During the past two years William Parker, Chief of Police in Los Angeles, has not been known to publicly or privately make a disparaging remark to anyone residing in this Division concerning the FBI, its officials or employees. This is apparently the longest period of time he has desisted since becoming Chief in 1950. This absence of criticism of the FBI is directly related to my efforts.

During previous years the FBI has been the subject of criticism by some of its most vociferous, influential and prominent enemies who reside or work in this Division, such as former Attorney General Stanely Mosk, Governor Edmund "Pat" Brown, Los Angeles Mayor Sam Yorty, etc. Not once during the rating period has there been public criticism of the FBI in this Division, or any of its officials from any prominent individual.

During the rating period there has not appeared ~~any~~ ^{known} unfavorable editorial or news article based on our investigations in the more than 390 newspapers in the Division, the 152 radio stations, and the 19 television stations. ^{JUL 17 1978} There were many hundreds of favorable articles and editorials throughout the territory in the newspapers as well as on the radio and television stations.

For the second consecutive year every major law enforcement organization in the state passed commendatory resolutions concerning the Director and the Bureau. Copies have been furnished to the Bureau.

I have been appointed to serve on the Executive Committee of the California Peace Officers Association, the largest such organization in the nation. It is the first time an SAC has been appointed to this Executive Committee in approximately 10 years. In addition, I am on the Executive Committee of the Peace Officers Association of Los Angeles County, the 3rd largest in the nation. As a member of the above organizations and on the Executive Committees I am better able and have effectively protected and promoted the best interests of the Bureau and the Director. For example, Quinn Tamm, Director of the IACP, which is the second largest law enforcement association in numbers in the nation, attempted to "crash" the Mid-Winter meeting in February, 1966, of the California Peace Officers Association. He received a very cool reception. In fact, he was asked by the President after appropriate prompting, "What the hell are you doing here?" Tamm departed shortly thereafter.

6. Productivity - For comparison purposes the following is set forth:

In January, 1954, this Division had 5,594 pending cases with a 21.2 % delinquency with investigative personnel totaling 345. The statistics for the 1953 fiscal year were: 259 Convictions; \$2,423,659 in Fines, Savings and Recoveries; 930 Fugitives apprehended; and 249 Automobiles recovered.

On 3/31/66 this Division had 8,113 pending cases with a 7.2% delinquency with investigative personnel totaling 311. The most recent statistics for a full year is the 1965 fiscal year which were: 769 Convictions; \$24,969,275 in Fines, Savings and Recoveries; 1,045 Fugitives apprehended; and 439 Automobiles recovered. This reflects an increase of 45% in caseload with a 66% decrease in delinquency. It reflects an increase of 196% in Convictions; 930% increase in Fines, Savings and Recoveries; 12% increase in Fugitives apprehended; and 76% increase in Automobiles recovered.

During the rating period this office reached an all time high of total matters pending with an accumulative total of 126,969 cases. *used to be 100,000*

All of the above was accomplished by this office with a current assignment of 34 fewer investigative employees than were assigned here in January, 1954.

There are many other noteworthy items that could be mentioned but are not in the interest of brevity. Should there be any questions I would be pleased to furnish the answers.

I am in complete agreement with the importance of applicant recruitment, statistics, and bank robbery solutions along with other pertinent items and these factors are given consideration when appropriate in the performance ratings of each and every Agent in this Division.

Although there have been certain phases of our activities from time to time that needed improvement and re-vitalizing, on an overall basis the accomplishments and work performance during the rating period according to existing records has been one of the best, if not the best, of any year in the history of this Division, which was opened in 1915. Despite the many fine accomplishments of this office during the rating period, which are outstanding in many instances, I am not fully satisfied. I am demanding and insisting on even greater accomplishments and these without doubt will follow. I have one desire, that is to serve you in an "outstanding" manner.

May I wish for you personally many more years of good health and continued success as the great and astute Director of the FBI.

Very respectfully submitted,

Wesley Grapp

WESLEY G. GRAPP

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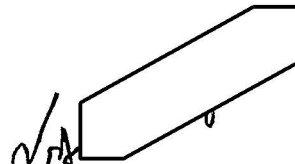
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TO : Mr. Callahan

DATE: 4-15-66

FROM : J. B. Adams *JBA*

SUBJECT: SAC WESLEY G. GRAPP
LOS ANGELES OFFICE

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SAC Grapp's letter of 4-11-66 expressed regret over his "Satisfactory" performance rating, dissatisfaction with impression he is serving the Director other than in an "outstanding" manner and furnished certain information bearing on specific office activities, enumerated hereinafter. He assured the Director of even greater accomplishments and wished the Director continued health and success. The Director noted - "Analyze this carefully, Grapp makes a pretty strong case for himself."

1. STATISTICS. SAC states for fiscal year 1965 (ending 6-30-65) Los Angeles exceeded the previous fiscal year in four categories (convictions, savings, fugitives and automobiles) leading all divisions then and now in convictions and fugitives apprehended. OBSERVATION. True, but convictions as of 3-31-66 are 15% less than the previous comparable 9-month period although as stated office showed gains in the other three categories. He blamed fewer convictions to decline in Bank Robbery violations and Veterans Administration Matters, the latter attributed to policy change by Department of Justice (cases no longer required to be referred to Bureau when illegal receipt of unemployment benefits \$300 or less, which applies to all offices).

2. APPLICANT RECRUITMENT. SAC states since 9/65 Los Angeles supplied ten new agents and four appointments outstanding with 25 presently being processed. OBSERVATION. During performance rating year Los Angeles furnished only 14 for 18 New Agent Classes, only five of which were recruited from 4-1-65 to 9-30-65. SAC Grapp was censured 12-14-65 as Los Angeles failed to meet its quota of two for October, November, 1965. SAC Grapp requested 24 additional agents during office inspection October, 1965 but only eleven were approved and the Director noted "Right, I don't see how SAC can seek additional assignment of agents when they have miserably failed in recruiting new agents." Bureau intensified recruitment program after which Los Angeles made a more concerted effort to meet its responsibilities and was commended 3-4-66 for recruiting six new agents during January and February. Two agents were furnished in March and four appointments now outstanding.

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3. BANK ROBBERY VIOLATIONS. SAC states 245 (actually 254) unsolved bank robberies in that office as of 3-31-66 (oldest being 10-10-62) since which date Los Angeles solved 673 (actually 706) bank robbery violations, the greatest total number of any field office during a similar period. He attributed decline of 110 (actually 113) bank robbery violations since 7-1-65 to positive, aggressive, hard-hitting campaign stating 68% solution rate since that date. Fiscal year ending 6-30-65, Los Angeles had 180 bank robbery convictions, the highest of any division in history exceeding two second place offices by 309%. OBSERVATION. Except as above figures were revised statements are true but should be as Los Angeles consistently has a far greater number of bank robbery violations and therefore should have a correspondingly greater number of convictions. Also noted that while convictions obtained during fiscal year are not all necessarily for violations which occurred during fiscal year, during the same period Indianapolis and San Francisco had a higher ratio of convictions as compared to their number of violations.

Also noted Los Angeles, in addition to bank robbery cases, was down in convictions in several other important classifications: Theft from Interstate Shipment, Veterans Administration Matters, Federal Reserve Act and Fraud Against the Government cases. Los Angeles was so advised as to each classification with analysis of principal statistics producing classifications and specific suggestions on five different occasions since August, 1965. In these letters, Los Angeles was told of the drop in pending case-loads, means of developing sources for new cases, delinquencies in these classifications and the like.



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4. MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS: SAC states revitalization of Hoodlum Program was needed and described results as encouraging, pointed out seven indictments and/or convictions in gambling violations during rating period and investigations should result in about 15 more within the near future. OBSERVATIONS: SAC Grapp's letter of 2-18-66 referred to Bureau's communication of 1-19-66 indicating weaknesses in the Criminal Intelligence Program and made certain observations such as fluctuation in origin case-load was commensurate with available manpower and cases; office was hampered in development of cases with statistical potential by geographical location of office and the like. Bulet 2-28-66 informed SAC contents of letter reflected a self-satisfied attitude with mediocre results recently accomplished, noting only three convictions since 7/62 in the anti-gambling field, emphasizing that office's record unsatisfactory when compared with other offices such as Philadelphia with 25 convictions. His contention that geographical location hampered development of cases was termed unacceptable to the Bureau in that Miami, bounded on three sides by the ocean recently broke two nationwide gambling operations which would result in indictment of 16 or more notorious gamblers. Los Angeles' accomplishments also unfavorable compared with other offices in identification of members of La Cosa Nostra and Top Echelon Criminal Informant Program. SAC was told he must take appropriate remedial steps to correct such weaknesses.

SAC states in connection with Watts riots, costly and violent, Bureau was kept fully and promptly informed. OBSERVATION: True. Domestic Intelligence Division observes that certain of that office's responsibilities in security areas need additional attention, such as excessive delinquencies in certain classifications and more accurate reporting to facilitate dissemination of information when appropriate.

With respect to SAC Grapp's statement that he follows Director's policy of being "firm but fair," it may be noted that in addition to 24 instances of administrative action referred to in the Director's comments to ASAC [] set forth hereinafter, five instances of administrative action occurred during March, 1966. b6
Three involved the Interstate Transportation in Aid of Racketeering cases concerning b7C
[] (case involving []) and resulted in demotion of a supervisor and probation and transfer of two Agents. Others involved failure of an Agent to handle his financial obligations as well as certain shortcomings in handling an extortion case on the part of him and another Agent.

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5. PUBLIC AND POLICE RELATIONS. SAC states Chief of Police William Parker made no disparaging remarks publicly or privately to anyone residing in Los Angeles Division concerning FBI. OBSERVATION. Parker has been quite ill but did in October, 1965 at Miami become very critical of the Bureau and the Director to Larry King, radio and TV personality, alleging among other things the Director prevented Parker from becoming President of the IACP; that the Director was living off John Dillinger; FBI could have done more to combat organized crime. SAC stated every major law enforcement organization in California passed commendatory resolutions regarding the Director and the Bureau, that Grapp serves on Executive Committee of the California Peace Officers Association as well as of the Los Angeles Peace Officers Association. SAC mentioned "cold shoulder" treatment given Quinn Tamm, Director, IACP, in mid-winter meeting of the latter organization. OBSERVATION. No question but that SAC contributorily (along with SACs San Francisco and San Diego) responsible for such favorable developments as reported by San Francisco Office. Former SA Peter Pitchess, Sheriff, Los Angeles County, deliberately ignored Tamm. Los Angeles does have an excellent police training program. SAC states no public criticism of FBI by individuals or news media in Los Angeles Division during rating period. OBSERVATION. Public relations as known to Crime Records Division has been generally satisfactory, contributions to Law Enforcement Bulletin having been very good, contributions to "The Investigator" having been below average. Special accomplishments, calendar year, 1965, substantial, SAC personally having handled 51 speeches, 30 radio appearances and 7 TV commitments. For the period thus far this year he has handled 15 speeches, 14 radio and one TV appearance. Achievements considered satisfactory. Press relations being maintained in a generally very good status.

6. PRODUCTIVITY. SAC included comments that on 3-31-66 that office had 8113 pending cases (actually 7,359 active cases) with a 7.2% delinquency. (Over-all field delinquency 5.0%). He emphasized 45% increase in caseload and 66% decrease in delinquency and that during rating period office reached an all-time high of total matters pending with accumulative total of 126,969 cases. Above accomplishments handled with 34 fewer investigative employees than in January, 1954. OBSERVATION. Figure of 126,969 cases arrived at through adding cumulative closed cases (35,693) to cumulative pending cases (91,276) which is rather meaningless.

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Noted that after seeing ASAC [redacted], Los Angeles, on 3-7-66 the Director included in his comments that SAC Grapp should be advised the Director was not at all satisfied with the manner in which the Los Angeles Office was being operated; that with 307 agents and 194 clerks it should certainly be operated in a tighter manner than the record showed; over-all office delinquency was 8.4%*, convictions dropped 22%; agents spent an excessive 23.6% of their time in the office. ASAC [redacted] was also told the September inspection rated Los Angeles only Good in Administrative Operations and Personnel Matters and that anything less than Very Good was marginal and drifting toward Unsatisfactory. The 24 instances of administrative action taken against Los Angeles personnel during preceding six months reflected gross irresponsibility in measuring up to individual responsibilities upon the part of agents and clerks. The Director noted that recruitment of only nine new agents since 7-1-65 was a very poor showing; that the 252 unsolved bank robbery violations were the highest in the service, that Los Angeles

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had a mediocre record in the substantive gambling violations under the Criminal Intelligence Program and mentioned the mishandling of the possible gambling case involving [redacted] of the Los Angeles Dodgers. Director pointed out it was evident the Los Angeles Office was not in good condition, not due to lack of knowledge of SAC Grapp but to a certain amount of apathy and a lack of sense of responsibility on the SAC's part in not holding each employee to his individual responsibilities.

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In connection with the Director's comments, Mr. Tolson instructed an early inspection for that office be listed.

RECOMMENDATION:

In view of the above analysis indicating there are definite areas in which Los Angeles Office can stand improvement, it is recommended the "Satisfactory" rating afforded him stand.

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SAC's attention by*

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April 18, 1966

PERSONAL

Mr. Wesley G. Crapp
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Los Angeles, California

Dear Mr. Crapp:

Careful analysis and consideration have been given to the information you furnished by letter of April 11, 1966, with respect to your satisfactory annual performance report and I must advise you there is no basis for changing the rating.

In the matter of statistics and Bank Robbery violations, your convictions are 15% less than the number during the previous comparable nine-month period. Your observation that fewer convictions are attributable in part to a changed policy in Veterans Administration Matters is noted but you must realize the policy change similarly affected all offices. The serious decline in conviction accomplishments was called to your attention by letter on a number of occasions since August, 1965. The trend of fewer convictions in your office extends to a number of other important classifications such as Theft From Interstate Shipment, Federal Reserve Act matters and Fraud Against the Government cases. With respect to your statement regarding Bank Robbery violations, it is recognized your solutions and convictions exceeded those of other offices but with a greater number of such violations, there should be a correspondingly greater number of convictions. Comparison with certain other offices, however, indicates your ratio of convictions is lower as compared to the violations in these offices.

Your recruitment of six new agents during January and February, 1966, while commendable, does not mitigate the fact your office recruited only five from April 1, 1965, to September 30, 1965, in addition to which you failed to meet your quota of two for October and November, 1965, for which you were censured December 14, 1965.

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1 - Mr. Tolson
1 - Mr. Gale
1 - Mr. Wick
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1 - Mr. Sullivan
1 - Mr. Callahan
1 - Mr. Adams (Sent Direct)

Based on memo Adams to Callahan, 4-15-66

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Mr. Wesley G. Grapp

With respect to comments you made regarding your Hoodlum Program, as my letter of February 28, 1966, informed you, the reasons offered in your communication of February 18, 1966, relating to this program were not acceptable and reasons therefor were specifically called to your attention. My letter pointed out to you as an example that three convictions since July, 1962, in the anti-gambling field were unsatisfactory when compared with certain other offices. Your accomplishments also compared unfavorably with certain other offices in the identification of La Cosa Nostra members and in the Top Echelon Criminal Informant Program. Moreover, although you kept the Bureau properly informed in the Watts riots, there are certain areas in the domestic intelligence field which need additional attention within your office. Periodically there were brought to your attention such matters as delinquencies in certain security classifications and the need for accurate and adequate reporting of information in communications including those for dissemination.

Your comments regarding employees who have performed substandard work have been noted and you may be assured that performance reports as received from your office are being carefully reviewed. Since your letter did not identify these employees, you are instructed to furnish such information to the Bureau immediately.

Your public and police relations have been generally satisfactory; however, at Miami, Florida, during October, 1965, Chief of Police William Parker did make critical remarks of the Bureau. Although your achievements in the public relations field are considered satisfactory, need for improvement continues such as in contributions to "The Investigator."

The accumulative total of 126,969 cases reached by your office during the rating period, presumably arrived at through totaling cumulative pending cases with cumulative closed cases, is rather meaningless in itself. Moreover, your delinquency still exceeds that of the over-all field delinquency.

Mr. Wesley G. Grapp

In discussing the condition of the Los Angeles Office with your Assistant Special Agent in Charge on March 7, 1966, I pointed out the ratings of only Good in Administrative Operations and Personnel Matters resulting from an inspection of your office last September. I consider anything less than Very Good as marginal and drifting toward Unsatisfactory. I also went over with him the twenty-four instances of administrative action taken against personnel of the Los Angeles Office during the past six months which reflected gross irresponsibility in measuring up to individual responsibilities upon the part of agents and clerks. Moreover, it was necessary to take severe administrative action against personnel of your office, including demotion and removal from supervisory responsibilities of an agent as well as probation and transfer of two investigative agents in the Interstate Transportation in Aid of Racketeering - Gambling case involving Claude Osteen of the Los Angeles Dodgers.

I wish to emphasize that the rating of Satisfactory afforded you was given after due consideration to all aspects of your work performance as well as that of your office. I am sure you are aware there are definite areas in which the operations of the Los Angeles Office can stand improvement. XEROX
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In giving you a rating of Satisfactory in your annual performance report I am fully cognizant that in many areas you have performed most satisfactorily. It is a fact that this year stricter guide lines are being followed in ratings and a substantial decrease of Outstanding ratings is being given. In the past they have become somewhat perfunctory and routine. Now they really mean something and must be substantially earned.

Sincerely,
J. Edgar Hoover

MR. CALLAHAN

4/27/66

J. B. ADAMS

DISCIPLINARY ACTIONS
Los Angeles Office

Enclosed letter from SAC Grapp of the Los Angeles Office of 4/21/66 referred to Bureau request of 4/18/66 for the identity of employees assigned that office who his letter of 4/11/66 stated had performed their duties in a substandard manner.

SAC Grapp's letter of 4/11/66 had indicated that a few employees assigned to that office have performed their duties in a substandard manner and in each instance upon learning of such substandard performance, he immediately checked into the facts and recommended drastic administrative action in line with the Director's policy of being "firm but fair".

His letter of 4/21/66 identified nine Agents. A review of the annual performance reports of these nine Agents indicates that in every instance the administrative action was taken into consideration in arriving at the overall adjective rating, all having been rated Satisfactory. It may be noted that two of the Agents, SA [redacted] and SA [redacted] have resigned.

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RECOMMENDATION:

None for information.

①- Personnel file SAC Wesley G. Grapp

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Los Angeles, California
April 21, 1966

Mr. Tolson	✓
Mr. DeLoach	✓
Mr. Mohr	✓
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Miss Gandy	✓

Mr. J. Edgar Hoover
Director
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Hoover:

Reference is made to my letter of April 11, 1966 and the reply of April 18, 1966.

It was most considerate of you to take time from your busy schedule to check into this matter.

Referenced letter of April 11, 1966, stated among other things that a few employees assigned to this office have performed their duties in a substandard manner and upon learning of each instance of substandard work I immediately checked into the facts and recommended administrative action. I stated that I had followed your policy of being "firm but fair." The letter of April 18, 1966, stated that since I did not identify these employees I should furnish such information to the Bureau immediately.

In each instance administrative action has already been recommended and action taken by the Bureau. There are no such matters pending at this time. Examples of such instances are set forth below:

Name of Employee

MERTON R. ANDERSON ✓ S

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WILLIAM E. ASSMUS ✓ S

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J. G. WHITTINGTON, JR. S

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May I wish you continued good health and many more successful years as the Director of the FBI.

Sincerely,

Wesley G. Grapp
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Callahan 4/27/66
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May 23, 1966

PERSONAL ATTENTION

Mr. Wesley G. Grapp
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Los Angeles, California

Dear Mr. Grapp:

Time Spent in Office by Agents (TIO) in your Office was 22.8 per cent for April, an increase over the figure for March. As you know, the TIO for your office has been consistently high for some time, and exceeds the field average. You must place increased emphasis on reducing TIO and insure there will be compliance with these instructions. It is expected a definite reduction will be shown.

Sincerely yours,
J. Edgar Hoover

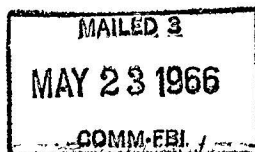
John Edgar Hoover
Director

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NOTE: Letters being written to SACs of offices where TIO in April considered high.



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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : MR. TOLSON

DATE: May 25, 1966

FROM : W. M. FELT

SUBJECT: ANONYMOUS TYPEWRITTEN LETTER
TO THE DIRECTOR POSTMARKED
LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA, MAY 10, 1966
PERSONNEL MATTER

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SYNOPSIS

Three-page anonymous typewritten letter, postmarked in Los Angeles on 5/10/66, contains numerous highly inflammatory allegations against SAC Wesley Grapp. Pursuant to your instructions I proceeded immediately to Los Angeles to thoroughly check into matter.

Anonymous letter prepared on either Royalite or Swissa Junior portable typewriter in bad state of repair. Royalite sold extensively in U. S. Swissa Junior manufactured in Switzerland and not sold in U. S. Latent fingerprints eliminated. Review by Laboratory of typing specimens in personnel files of possible suspects negative. Circumstantial evidence indicates letter probably written by Special Agent Charles E. Stine, presently assigned Dallas. Stine formerly assigned to Los Angeles but received disciplinary transfer as result of findings during previous Los Angeles inspection, September, 1965. Anonymous letter writer indicates he has observed Grapp as Agent, ASAC and SAC. Stine so observed Grapp in Los Angeles Office. Letter writer claims to be Catholic. Stine is Catholic. Stine was in Los Angeles on subpoena on date anonymous letter was mailed. SAC Grapp feels Stine is responsible for letter and has furnished detailed memorandum setting forth reasons (attached). Stine's former supervisor in Los Angeles who has known Stine for ten years viewed letter and on basis of his knowledge of style, grammar and language feels strongly that letter written by Stine (memorandum attached).

Original writings of Stine in various Los Angeles files made available to Laboratory for comparison with word usage and writing style in anonymous letter. Three characteristics noted which appear both in known and questioned writings. Similarities do not constitute positive identification but are very significant in light of other circumstantial evidence.

SAC Grapp advises he has heard rumors that Stine is contemplating retirement (Stine EOD on 2/9/42 and will be 60 years old on 7/14/66).

Enclosures

1 - Mr. Conrad

1 - Mr. Callahan

1 - Mr. Mohr

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Sworn signed statement taken from SAC Grapp (attached) in which he emphatically denies each allegation. Sworn statements (attached) also taken from numerous employees, including all Agent and clerical supervisors, in position to have personal knowledge of matters covered in anonymous letter. All supervisors rate Grapp highly as efficient administrator. Personal check by writer disclosed number of allegations false on their face. For example, letter describes SAC Grapp as being on probation. This is not true.

Letter accuses Grapp of making disrespectful comments concerning Director while having photographs taken with employees in his office. This is emphatically denied by all employees who have recently had pictures taken in his office and also by photographer who has taken most, if not all, such pictures during last 11 months. Allegation is made that Grapp arrives at office just before 8:00 a.m. and leaves shortly after 5:00 p.m. Review of SAC Grapp's #3 cards for past 3 months discloses wide range in his arrival and departure times. Anonymous letter writer also alleges Grapp is responsible for "bad press" in Los Angeles area and for deteriorating relations with law enforcement and general public. Findings of inspection to date indicate public relations are excellent. Crime Records Division advises we have "good press" in Los Angeles area. Signed statements from personnel refute allegations in anonymous letter.

One allegation was that Grapp has used obscene language in presence of female employees. This appears to be serious distortion of facts. During inquiry information received that Grapp used questionable language (not obscene) in his private office, which language has been overheard by female employees in front office, no specific instances recalled. I immediately advised Grapp of these findings and instructed that he cease and desist. One female employee, while rating Grapp highly as efficient administrator, said she felt him unapproachable and believes employees are afraid of him. Grapp was also advised of this finding and was instructed to insure that all employees felt that they had access to him through proper channels. Grapp was greatly concerned about these findings and stated positively that there would be immediate 100% compliance with my instructions.

OBSERVATIONS

Investigation is continuing. Dallas Office has been directed to send to Laboratory all original rough drafts submitted by SA Stine. These will be compared against questioned typing.

As indicated above, inquiries in Los Angeles Office have shown allegations in anonymous letter are either patently false or vicious distortions of fact. It is not felt, therefore, that any specific inquiry should be made outside Los Angeles Office. All indications are that Grapp is taskmaster but firm and fair in dealing with personnel.

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RECOMMENDATIONS

1. That SA Stine be ordered to Washington for interview by me.

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2. That the results of this inquiry and the instructions which were given Grapp be considered in connection with the over-all inspection summary and letter.

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DETAILS

Under date of May 10, 1966, a vicious anonymous letter was mailed to the Bureau from Los Angeles. This letter made numerous allegations against SAC Grapp, all of which are discussed in detail below. Pursuant to your instructions I proceeded to Los Angeles on Tuesday, May 17, to thoroughly check into this matter and the results of my findings to date are set out below.

The anonymous letter and a carbon copy which was directed to the Attorney General were examined by the Laboratory. It was found that the typewriting on the anonymous letter corresponds with Laboratory standards for Swissa Junior portable style of type, spaced approximately 11 1/2 letters to the inch. This style Swissa type is sold in Europe and South America. In addition, the Swissa Junior portable style of type is also used by the Royal McBee Company (Netherlands) which manufactures the Royalite typewriter. The Royalite typewriter was first manufactured in 1953 and at present the Royal McBee Company exports approximately 200,000 Royalite typewriters to the U. S. annually.

The typing on the anonymous letter was compared against all anonymous communications previously submitted without effecting an identification.

At my request, the Laboratory reviewed the personnel files of former Special Agents [redacted], James Daniel Faziola and Gilmer George Robinson. They also reviewed the personnel file of SA Charles E. Stine, previously assigned to Los Angeles but now in Dallas. At my request the names of the wives of these Agents and adult children were searched through Bureau indices looking toward location of typewritten communications. No similar typing was found as result of any of these searches.

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The Laboratory has also searched the personnel files of 58 former Special Agents who have left the Bureau service from the Los Angeles Office in recent years. In no instance was an identification made.

Special Agent Charles E. Stine for reasons out out below is regarded as the most logical suspect in this case. The Dallas Office has been requested to immediately furnish to me any rough drafts submitted by Stine in connection with his regular work. The Dallas Office will xerox the rough drafts so the typing will not be delayed by the originals being submitted to the Bureau so further typewriter comparisons can be made.

Voluminous original writing specimens of Special Agent Stine have been obtained from the files of the Los Angeles Office. Similar examples of writing in letters and airtels have been obtained from Bureau files. The Document

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Section of the Laboratory was requested to compare writing style, language usage, punctuation, typical words, typical misspellings, etc., of these writings against same in the anonymous letter. Results are set out below.

On the original anonymous letter one latent fingerprint was developed on the envelope and three latent fingerprints were developed on the three-page letter by the Latent Fingerprint Section. These fingerprints were subsequently eliminated by comparison against the prints of personnel handling the letter in the Files and Communications Division.

CONSIDERATION OF SPECIAL AGENT CHARLES E. STINE AS A SUSPECT

In a careful evaluation and study of the persons who might have written anonymous communication more factors point to Stine than any other individual.

Stine was transferred from Los Angeles to Dallas as a result of the findings of the previous inspection of the Los Angeles Office conducted by Paul C. Young. This might account for the attempt to embarrass Inspector Young in the anonymous letter.

SAC Grapp believes that Stine would have reason for writing such a letter. Grapp points out that during the Summer of 1965 Stine became arrogant and abusive to his supervisor at which time he was transferred by Grapp from one squad to another. According to Grapp, this disturbed Stine very greatly.

Grapp should have advised Bureau of this. JFM
The anonymous letter refers to having had an opportunity to view Grapp as an Agent, as an ASAC and as an SAC. Stine was in the Los Angeles Office during the time Grapp was there in each of these capacities.

While the anonymous letter writer displayed considerable inside knowledge of the Los Angeles Office there are some factors which would indicate the writer was not recently in Los Angeles. For example, stenographic unit supervisor had recovered from "a serious cancer operation" at the time Stine was transferred. In reality she had a second operation in February.

A strong circumstantial factor is that Stine was in Los Angeles on subpoena and on annual leave from early April until May 10, 1966. The anonymous letter was placed in the mail on May 10, 1966.

The anonymous writer indicates that he is Catholic. Stine is a member of the Catholic Church.

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The anonymous letter writer reported that Grapp was in probationary status. Personnel assigned to the Los Angeles Office would know that this is not true.

Stine's former supervisor in Los Angeles was [redacted] SAC Grapp displayed to [redacted] a xerox copy of the anonymous letter to ascertain if Agent [redacted] could possibly identify the author. No suggestions were made to [redacted], but he immediately came to the conclusion that the letter was written by SA Stine. In his memorandum (attached) he says that his opinion is based on a number of factors involving knowledge acquired over a long period of time of Stine's writing style and personality. [redacted] cites the following as "among the items most prominent" in causing him to arrive at this conclusion:

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"1. In my opinion Stine can be characterized as a nonconformist, revengeful type of individual who would resort to any means, including this, to achieve an objective.

"2. The general overall style of writing utilized by the author and his choice of certain words appears to conform with that which I have observed emanating from Stine in his written material.

"3. Stine was in Los Angeles on 5/10/66. I recall talking with him by telephone on two separate occasions that day regarding the outcome of the trial which brought him to Los Angeles."

SAC Grapp also feels strongly that SA Stine is a logical suspect. He set forth his conclusions in a detailed memorandum (attached).

At the request of the Inspection Division the Document Section of the Laboratory made an analysis of instant anonymous letter with view toward pinpointing any typing characteristics, idioms, misspellings, etc., for comparison against known writings of SA Stine. None were noted which in themselves were sufficiently characteristic or peculiar that they could be considered valid traits peculiar to any single writer. Certain characteristics were noted, however, which may or may not be significant:

1. The writer of the anonymous letter in three different sentences separates phrases with double dash. This appears in the first sentence, first paragraph, page 2; second line, fifth paragraph, page 3, and third line, fifth paragraph, page 3.

2. The writer shows the return address directly under the letterhead by centering "Los Angeles, California" and then centering the date "May 10, 1966" below Los Angeles, California.

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3. The writer in setting forth times, i. e., "5 pm," "8am" and "3 pm" in the second paragraph, page 2, always utilizes lower case for A.M. or P.M. and does not separate with a period.

With respect to typewritten material personally typed by SAA Charles E. Stine the following characteristics were noted:

1. SAA Stine rather consistently uses a double dash to separate phrases as indicated by typed informant reports relating to [redacted] dated 1/25/62, 9/28/62, 4/30/64 and 12/28/64; on [redacted] dated 4/28/61 and [redacted] dated 7/5/60, and in a typewritten explanation dated 6/14/65 regarding an expense voucher.

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2. Serial 258 in SAA Stine's personnel file is what appears to be a personally typed letter dated 10/22/65 in which he apologizes to the Director for "the circumstances that brought this about." The return address is shown as "Los Angeles, California" centered at the top of the page and beneath it "October 22, 1965" centered under Los Angeles, California. This format is similarly shown on serial 241 of SAA Stine's personnel file consisting of a letter dated 8/27/62 expressing appreciation for an incentive award.

3. The previously referred to contact memo relating to [redacted] dated 7/5/60 refers to certain times of the day when reporting instances took place. SAA Stine utilizes lower case letters "AM" not separated by periods. This same characteristic is evident in the expense voucher for period 5/1/65 through 5/31/65 wherein various times are shown and in each instance lower case letters for "am" and "pm" are consistently used.

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The characteristics in the questioned and known material referred to above are not sufficiently peculiar they could be positively related to any one person or author. However, they assume considerable significance in the light of the other circumstantial factors set out previously.

ANALYSIS OF ALLEGATIONS

1. The allegation is made that Grapp has been placed on probation after bitterly crying about his annual performance rating.

Grapp is not on probation and a review of his letter to the Director concerning his annual performance rating is orderly and rational and cannot be described as "bitterly crying."

2. The allegation is made that Grapp covers up his shortcomings by creating smoke screens of personnel problems to establish him self as a strict disciplinarian.

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Grapp states, "The record will speak for itself for my administrative ability which has extended for over a period of time of more than 16 years when I was first assigned to the Bureau. I have never created a personnel problem, but when one was discovered I handled it promptly in accordance with established Bureau procedures."

There is nothing in the record to indicate that SAC Grapp has "created" any personnel problems.

3. The anonymous letter charges that Grapp's primary objective in Los Angeles was to totally demoralize the entire staff and to alienate the community leaders.

To this Grapp replies, "An interview of the supervisory staff and other members of the office should clearly establish this allegation as an outright falsehood. There is no known instance where I have alienated any prominent persons in the Los Angeles area. There are a great many honors and compliments which have been given to me since my assignment in this area as the Special Agent in Charge. As an example, I am a member of the 'Committee of One Hundred,' which is comprised of the 100 most prominent individuals in this area. In addition, last week I was given the honor of being the only FBI representative in the history of this office to ever be offered an honorary membership in the Kiwanis Club of Los Angeles, which is made up of leading citizens. There are numerous other such acts of recognition that can be produced if needed that will completely negate the above falsehood."

The inspection findings to date indicate that morale is high, particularly among the Agent staff and there is every indication that Grapp is highly regarded by outside community leaders.

The allegation is made the "Grapp continually berates devoted, experienced personnel including clerical supervisors who have established excellent records over the years. He has told the very competent [redacted] and her assistant, [redacted], they are too old for the job. He has made the same statement about [redacted] who recently recovered from a serious cancer operation and Grapp now has her at the point of a nervous breakdown." b6 b7C

To this Grapp replies, "This is an outright lie in all respects. I have never berated the employees or stated the above individuals or anyone else in the FBI are too old for their jobs. To the best of my knowledge [redacted] is not suffering from any work related ill health and is not on the verge of a nervous breakdown." b6 b7C

In sworn statements, [redacted] and [redacted] deny that they have been told by Grapp that they are too old for the job. [redacted] advises b6 b7C

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she has recovered from two cancer operations but she is highly incensed at the allegation that she is at the point of a nervous breakdown.

[redacted] advises Grapp is unapproachable and she feels the clerical employees are afraid of him. She has no specific basis for this allegation. b6 b7C

Grapp was immediately advised of this statement and instructed that he should insure none of the employees felt he was unapproachable through proper channels.

5. The anonymous letter writer alleges that Grapp "uses obscene language in the presence of female employees."

Grapp emphatically denies using obscene language. He states, "I have heard and used language in my office with the door closed when I was talking to friends or acquaintances that could include the words of damn, hell and the like. This language has not been stronger. Since the question has arisen I will make doubly sure this language is eliminated and in addition will take steps to close the air vent on the office door to insure confidential conversations cannot be overheard by eavesdropping from the outer office. When the building was constructed the walls were not filled or soundproofed. During the past month I have had soundproofing put on one wall of the SAC's Office which should further accomplish the objective."

Sworn statements were taken from four female employees in the front office. [redacted] advises she has heard Grapp use strong swear words but she does not believe the language to be obscene. [redacted] advises she has heard Grapp use strong swear words in his office including "S-O-B," and "Jesus Christ." [redacted] advises she has heard Mr. Grapp on many occasions swear at Agents, Agent supervisors and the chief clerk. She advises that during such conversations he has used such words as "hell," "God damn," and "S-O-B." [redacted] advised she believed such language to be obscene. [redacted] also advised she has overheard Mr. Grapp use language in his office including "S-O-B," "Goddammit" and "hell" as well as frequently referring to things as "crap" and/or "garbage." b6 b7C

These four employees state that this objectional language has not been used directly to them but has been what they have overheard from Grapp's private office when he is talking with or reprimanding other Bureau employees.

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These four employees advised they had no contact with Special Agent Charles E. Stine since his transfer to the Dallas Office in November, 1965.

On receipt of the above information, SAC Grapp was immediately advised as to these findings and instructed that he should immediately take whatever precautions are necessary to insure that such language is not overheard by female employees in his office or in other parts of the field office.

6. The allegation is made that Grapp made [redacted] [redacted] get down on her knees on the floor and pick up trash which he had deliberately thrown there.

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Both Grapp and [redacted] emphatically deny this allegation.

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7. It is alleged that Grapp "has been heard cursing his wife and mother outrageously."

To this allegation Grapp replies, "Nothing could be further from the truth. My mother does not even live in the Los Angeles area and never had. I have never cursed her or my wife. I give blanket authorization for any Bureau representative to interview my mother, my wife, any one or all of my four children ranging in age from 6 to 19, or any of my neighbors concerning this matter. My mother visited this FBI Office on 1/5/65. After such a visit a number of highly favorable comments were received from the personnel of this office to the effect that I was the only SAC in history who thought so much of his mother that he would bring her to the office and take her through and introduce her to the other employees with love and affection. I have done the same with my wife and children."

It has not been possible to disprove this allegation but due to the fact that most of the other allegations have been shown to be false it is not felt advisable to interview either Mrs. Grapp or Mr. Grapp's mother concerning this matter.

8. The anonymous letter alleges that Grapp has made disparaging remarks concerning the Director and his friends.

To this Grapp replies, "There is nothing farther from the truth. No one in my home or in the office or anyone in an official capacity or a personal friend or relative has ever heard me make any derogatory remark concerning the Director or his friends. The atrocious words used in this allegation obviously were for the purpose of inciting revulsion and great animosity on the part of those who read the letter. This is a dastardly lie."

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The employees interviewed were asked as to whether they had ever heard Grapp make any disrespectful statement concerning any Bureau official. Each emphatically replied in the negative.

9. The letter alleges that when posing with employees for anniversary pictures Grapp always says we had better stand in front of the picture of the high muckety-muck.

To this allegation Grapp replies, "These are outright lies. In each and every case where the recipient of the award and I stand is left to the discretion of the photographer. The photographer and others in this office should be able to verify the fact that I have never made a disparaging remark about the Director or anyone else at any time in connection with the picture taking, or any other activity or circumstance."

During my inquiries I interviewed all employees who had recently had photographs taken together with office photographer who has taken most if not all of the office photographs during the past 11 months. These employees all emphatically deny that any such words were used or that any language was used which would be disrespectful of any Bureau official.

10. The allegation is made that because of Grapp's activities a large number of employees have quit who would have given many more good years of service to the Bureau.

To this Grapp replies, "Each non-investigative employee resigning is interviewed first by the applicant recruitment coordinator and subsequently by the official superior. The interviews are made a matter of record. There is not one instance of an individual quitting because of me."

"Taking all factors into consideration, including possibly the highest salaries of the nation, few Agents have quit or resigned since my assignment here over 26 months ago. There have been 9 Agent resignations, 3 of which involved Agents who were involved in some administrative action or transferred by the Bureau for disciplinary purposes. The number compares favorably with the 26 months just prior to my arrival when 9 Agents resigned and 4 of these were under disciplinary transfer. The Agent complement at the time was lower than it is now. Therefore, the percentage of Agents resigning so far during my tenure is lower than it was for a like period prior to my arrival."

"Considering job opportunities, high salaries and the like, and with the number of Agents qualified to retire, percentage wise the number who have retired should compare favorably with other similar offices and the Bureau."

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In an attempt to more specifically resolve these questions, the Administrative Division was requested to evaluate turnover in Los Angeles as compared with other offices. A comparative survey was made (attached) but it was not believed that any particular conclusions can be reached concerning turnover in Los Angeles. It was observed that Los Angeles is one of the fastest growing areas in the country with comparatively rapid economic growth. Competition for clerical employees is greater in Los Angeles than in other areas. It is also observed that the 30 Special Agent retirements in Los Angeles during the calendar year 1965 were due in some measure to Federal law which made it attractive for those eligible for retirement to retire by the end of 1965.

11. The allegation is made that Grapp, almost without exception, works out at the LA Athletic Club where he has browbeat them out of a freeloading membership.

To this Grapp replies, "This is another outright lie. I have never worked out at the Athletic Club and do not have athletic gear there. I have gone there on a highly infrequent basis, averaging from memory possibly a few times a month, for lunch. I have courtesy privileges at the LAAC which were offered to me, as do other ranking law enforcement officials in the community plus members of the judiciary, which should total, to the best of my knowledge, approximately 150 persons. I have used these facilities for [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] On every occasion I have paid the full price for all meals. The allegation is without foundation."

Review of the #3 cards for SAC Grapp for the preceding 3 months failed to disclose any instance where he has gone to the Los Angeles Athletic Club. To be positively resolved, inquiry would have to be made at the Los Angeles Athletic Club. In view of the obvious falsity of the bulk of the allegations, it is not felt that any inquiry at the Los Angeles Athletic Club would be appropriate at this time.

12. The allegation is made that Grapp arrives in the office just before 8:00 a.m. and leaves shortly after 5:00 p.m.

To this Grapp replies, "My No. 3 cards show my activities clearly and reflect to the contrary. They will reflect that with few exceptions I have worked until well after 6:00 or 7:00 P.M. in the evening. I have arrived at work on many occasions much earlier than 8:00 a.m. and I have more than adequately shared the work load and resulting overtime as reflected in my average for the past year of 3 hrs. and 46 minutes a day."

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I personally reviewed Grapp's #3 cards for the past 3 months and found numerous arrivals well before 8:00 a.m. and numerous departures well after 5:00 p.m.

13. The anonymous letter claims that Grapp accumulates his overtime by claiming imaginary public relations contacts he never makes as is shown by the low quality of his friends in that field and the "bad press" we are getting here.

To this Mr. Grapp replies, "This is another outright falsehood. Never in the history of this Division, as far as it can be determined, has this office ever enjoyed the superb public and press relations that we now enjoy. There are in this Division by a recent count 391 newspapers, 152 radio stations, and 19 television stations. There has not been one known unfavorable editorial or newspaper article based on our investigations since my arrival here. There have been many hundreds of favorable articles and editorials throughout the territory as well as on the radio and television stations. For example, the largest evening newspaper in the nation, the 'Los Angeles Herald-Examiner' ran another favorable editorial on the Director personally concerning his most recent anniversary on 5/10/66. As the Bureau is aware, in former years prior to my arrival, there has been much criticism by some of the Bureau's most vociferous, influential, and prominent enemies who reside and work in this Division. There has been none to anyone in this Division within the past two years. I am on a first-name basis with the ranking and influential members of the press, television and radio. Numerous favorable examples could be given. The public and press relations have never been better in this Division according to our records and the memory of the experienced personnel assigned to this office."

Inquiry of the Crime Records Division reflects that the Bureau "enjoys a good press" in the Los Angeles area. Furthermore, inspection findings to date reflect that Grapp is highly regarded by the persons contacted outside the office. A review of his #3 cards reflects numerous contacts with highly placed persons in the Los Angeles area.

14. The anonymous letter alleges that he has issued instructions that they are not to bring up any problems or send through any mail after 3:00 p.m. each day.

Grapp replies, "This is another outright lie. Any important matter can and should be brought to my attention immediately regardless of the time of day or night, and the appropriate personnel have been so advised. Written instructions have been issued along this line. I do regulate to a limited degree the routine mail that is handled in my office late in the afternoon, such as office memos, reading material, publications, etc. Hundreds of examples can be offered as to urgent matters that have been handled late in the day, during evenings, and on weekends. This period of time toward the end of a normal workday, through experience can best be used for discussing problems and situations with supervisors and the agents as the latter return from their investigative duties late in the

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day. This is for the Bureau's best interests and has nothing to do with my personal desires as I am still on duty and working. There has never been a delay in the handling of an important matter, but to the contrary, because of this availability of the SAC late in the day, a great many important matters have been handled better and promptly and to the best interests of the Bureau."

Grapp does have a 3:00 p.m. cutoff for routine mail; however, a large number of expedite matters including mail are handled after this time.

15. The Anonymous letter alleges that Grapp berated and embarrassed Assistant Director Gale during a Criminal Intelligence conference at Los Angeles.

Attached are memoranda from Assistant Director Hames H. Gale and Section Chief T. J. McAndrews. Both emphatically deny this allegation.

16. Similar allegation is made that Grapp was disrespectful of Inspector Paul Young during the inspection of the Los Angeles Office during 1965.

Grapp denies this allegation. Furthermore, Inspector Paul Young has submitted a sworn statement (attached) in which he emphatically denies the allegation.

17. The allegation is made that Grapp has made derogatory comments about the late President Kennedy and about President Lyndon B. Johnson.

Grapp emphatically denies that he has ever made such comments about either President Kennedy or President Johnson.

18. The letter then repeats a previous allegation that Grapp has done everything possible to alienate the news media and law enforcement officials on all levels.

To this Grapp replies, "This is another complete fabrication without basis. The portion of the allegation affecting the news media is covered by me above. It is to be noted the agent personnel have little or no communication with the news media as that is handled by the supervisory personnel and on the face of the allegation it is patently false. As to law enforcement officials on all levels, I can produce a large volume of highly flattering letters concerning my relationship with law enforcement. The most recent is a resolution passed by the California Peace Officers Association, the largest full-time dues-paying law enforcement organization in the country, which passed a favorable resolution for the Director, for the Bureau, and mentioned me and the other SACs in California by name. This was passed at the recent annual convention attended by not only the rank and file,

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but key officials throughout the state on 5/4/66, at Long Beach. I am the first SAC to serve on the Executive Committee of this Association in approximately ten years. In addition, I serve on the Executive Committee of the Los Angeles County Peace Officers Association, the third largest in the Nation. For the second consecutive year, every major law enforcement organization in the state has passed commendatory resolution concerning the Director and the Bureau, and copies have been forwarded to the Bureau, and where appropriate to the White House and the Attorney General. I have a fine official and personal relationship with the ranking law enforcement officials throughout the Division with the exception of COP William Parker. He has not caused this Bureau any trouble in this Division since my arrival. Obviously and pursuant to Bureau instructions I am not close to him. The allegation is completely false."

Inspection findings to date indicate that relationships with law enforcement officials with the exception of Chief of Police William Parker are excellent. As indicated previously, the Crime Records Division indicates that the Bureau enjoys "a good press" in the Los Angeles area.

19. The letter alleges that Grapp has continued "to belittle the abilities of Attorney General Katzenbach and has taken no pains to keep these views from the United States Attorney's Office." The letter indicated that this attitude has hurt statistical accomplishments.

To this Mr. Grapp replies, "This is an outright lie. I have never made disparaging remarks about the ability of the Attorney General as I am not acquainted with such matters. My working relationship with the U. S. Attorney's Office through Manuel Real, the USA, is excellent. He and his wife are social acquaintances of my wife and me. Mr. Real and I frequently have lunch together and discuss matters of mutual interest. Our personal and working relationships are superb.

"The following data is set forth as to statistics:

"For the fiscal year 1965 the Los Angeles Office finished ahead of the previous year in all four categories. In addition, this office led all Divisions in Convictions with 769, which is 157 or 25% more than the second place office. We also led all Divisions in Fugitives apprehended with 1,045, which is 352 or 51% more than the second place office. It was the greatest year in the history of this Division and appears to be the best or one of the best overall records of any Division in the Bureau in peace time. At present and throughout this fiscal year, 1966, we have led all Divisions each and every month in the total number of Convictions as well as Fugitives apprehended. As of 3/31/66 we had 533 Convictions,

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Memorandum to Mr. Tolson

Re: Anonymous Typewritten Letter to the Director

Postmarked Los Angeles, California, May 10, 1966

which is 149 more, or 39%, than the second place office. We had 856 Fugitives, which is 280 more, or 49%, than the next office. As of 3/31/66 this Division was ahead of last year in 3 out of 4 categories. By the end of this month, May, 1966, and at the end of this fiscal year, we will be ahead of similar periods for last year in Convictions; Autos Recovered, and Fugitives apprehended. We will surpass last year, which until now was the greatest year for statistics in the history of any Field Division in peace time. The allegation is completely false."

During the regular inspection contact with the United States Attorney, this allegation was not raised; however, the usual questions concerning cooperation were discussed. The United States Attorney was enthusiastic in his regard for SAC Grapp and the Agents of the Los Angeles Office.

20. The allegation is made in the anonymous letter that there is a morale problem in the Los Angeles Office.

To this Mr. Grapp replied, "In my opinion, it is unusually high and a canvass of the key personnel should so reflect. The allegation is a falsehood."

I specifically inquired of each Agent supervisor as to the morale in the Los Angeles Office. None indicated that there was any morale problem and each rated Agent morale as excellent. Two supervisors rated clerical morale as very good and the remainder rated it excellent.

21. The anonymous letter alleges that while Grapp is a member of the Catholic faith his practices are not approved by that church.

Grapp denies that his practices are not approved by the Catholic church.

Nothing has come to my attention which would indicate that any credence should be placed in this allegation.

22. The letter alleges that Grapp continually berates the Assistant Special Agent in Charge, [redacted] in the presence of other employees.

Grapp denies this and so does ASAC [redacted] in a signed statement which is attached.

23. The anonymous letter concludes with the allegation that after being rated Satisfactory and placed in probationary status Grapp issued the edict that if he goes he will take a lot of people with him and also that no one would get a higher than Satisfactory rating until he did.

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Re: Anonymous Typewritten Letter to the Director
Postmarked Los Angeles, California, May 10, 1966

To this Grapp replies, "This is a false allegation. As stated previously, I am not in a probationary status. I have not made such a threat. I received my performance rating on 4/6/66. Since that time I have approved over 290 ratings with the higher adjective rating of 'Excellent.' In addition, since that time I recommended and there were received two meritorious Incentive Awards and 15 Quality Salary Increases. This is another complete falsehood."

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June 20, 1966

Mr. Wesley G. Grapp
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Los Angeles, California

Dear Mr. Grapp:

I am taking this opportunity to commend, through you, the agents of the Los Angeles Office who did such excellent work in connection with the investigation of the Interstate Transmission of Wagering Information case involving [redacted] and others.

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These men contributed materially to the over-all success achieved through the highly skillful, alert and aggressive fashion in which they carried out their individual assignments. Their services indicate their exemplary devotion to duty and were certainly a credit to them. Please express my appreciation to them.

Sincerely yours,
J. Edgar Hoover
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1 - SAC, Los Angeles (Personal Attention)

Place a copy of this letter in files of personnel who participated in this matter but were not individually recognized.

1 - [redacted] (Sent Direct)

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Based on memo Gale-DeLoach 6/9/66 and addendum Administrative Division 6/13/66 re: [redacted] aka; Et al; ITWI; FBW - Conspiracy, Recommendations for Incentive Awards.

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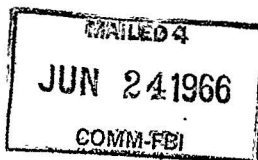
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PERSONAL ATTENTION

Mr. Wesley G. Grapp
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Los Angeles, California

Dear Mr. Grapp:

Bureau records disclose that Time Spent in Office by Agents (TIO) of the Los Angeles Division was 23.7 per cent for May, an increase over the already high figures for March and April. This upward trend is undesirable; a decrease will be expected. You must give this matter your close personal attention and insure that all TIO is absolutely necessary in the course of official business.



Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

John Edgar Hoover
Director

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1 - SOG, Los Angeles Field Office File

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MR. TOLSON

June 23, 1966

W. M. FELT

INSPECTION - LOS ANGELES OFFICE
INSPECTOR P. C. YOUNG
MAY 16 - JUNE 8, 1966

SUMMARY

Officials: Wesley G. Grapp, SAC since 3/1/64. [redacted] ASAC since 12/17/65; [redacted] (retired), ASAC previously. Last inspection: 9/8 - 25/65. b6 b7C

Physical Condition and Maintenance - Excellent (Last Inspection - Excellent). Office conveniently located in Federally owned building occupied exclusively by FBI. Space secure and neatly maintained; crowded but effectively utilized. Negotiations underway for additional space in headquarters city and Fresno, Santa Barbara and Santa Ana Resident Agencies (RAs). Space being located in Van Nuys and Canoga Park as result of Burbank RA realignment. RAs secure and satisfactorily maintained. Minor housekeeping deficiencies ordered corrected. No safety defects noted in automobiles inspected. Fleet adequate, utilization satisfactory, securely maintained. Repair costs above average; operating costs below. Instructed to continue search for commercial car storage space in Whittier and Santa Maria RAs.

Investigative Operations - Good (Last Inspection - Very Good). Case load 5/31/66, 8602 (7862 active); up from 7552 cases (6891 active) last inspection. Over-all delinquency 7.9%, 5/31/66 (security matters high at 11.1%); over-all delinquency above field average entire past year - reduction ordered. Average case load slightly above and case closings slightly below field averages; both increased since last inspection. Accomplishments first 11 months fiscal year down 61% in fines, savings and recoveries; up in remaining categories. 11 substantive errors detected - below average (handled separately). 97 of 183 bank robbery violations since last inspection solved, solution rate 53% (down from 61% at last inspection). 40 of 209 old violations solved since last inspection - solution rate 19.1% (down from 25.3% at last inspection). Unsolved cases increased from 209 to 246 - excessive; suggestions made to improve. Criminal Informant Program rated very good. Although down in number of informants and potentials, the quality, coverage and accomplishments have improved. Criminal Intelligence and Interstate Gambling Programs rated good with one La Cosa Nostra member informant and substantial increases in origin gambling and anti-racketeering cases in recent months. Number and quality of top-echelon informants improved. 21 arrests nationally in Los Angeles origin gambling case during inspection significant accomplishment. Other cases with prosecutive potential being pursued aggressively.

Enclosure
1 - Mr. Callahan (Attention Mr. J. B. Adams) (Sent Separately)
1 - Personnel Files Wesley G. Grapp and [redacted]

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Re: Inspection - Los Angeles Office

Racial situation extremely tense; two major riots in Watts area plus numerous incidents in defiance of police authorities; further trouble expected. Racial informants decreased although liaison sources up since last inspection - need for more sources in trouble spots stressed. Hate-type organizations inactive except American Nazi Party. Communist Party (CP) second largest in U. S.; over-all coverage substantial and effective; CP member informants increased to 63 from 59 last inspection. Nation of Islam active and covered but additional coverage particularly at top level needed. CP has made little progress in legitimate racial groups. Important Soviet Agent stationed U. S. Air Force base and extensive coverage in effect. Security Informant Program rated excellent. Missed applicant and fugitive deadlines below field average; no civil rights deadlines missed. Undesirable trends detected in delayed submission of documentary evidence to FBI Laboratory; delays in closing cases after prosecution declined; delayed reporting; and failure to prepare interview logs -- all ordered corrected.

Administrative Operations - Good (Last Inspection - Good). Los Angeles 15-desk office - justified and work load equitably distributed. Chief Clerk's Office functioning smoothly. Project work improved over last inspection; however, backlog still considered high; instructed to reduce figure with planned program. Misfiled index cards and form errors below field average, considerably improved since last inspection. New procedures suggested should improve handling of valuable exhibits, reopening inactive cases, handling of original FD-302s and serial destruction program. Stenographic and typing production below offices of comparable size; retypes above average; instructed to furnish additional training and closer supervision to increase production. Percentage of errors in Number 3 (Locator) cards decreased since last inspection, although errors in daily reports increased; no errors detected affecting fringe benefits. Communications and per diem costs below Bureau base, travel costs slightly above. Time in the office, although reduced since last inspection, still considered excessive; instructed to take positive steps to reduce. Voluntary overtime gradually increased since last inspection considered equitable and necessary (average last 3 months - 3' 41").

Personnel Matters - Fair (Last Inspection - Good). Personnel complement 5/31/66, 307 Agents, 197 clerks (last inspection approved complement of 309 Special Agents and 206 clerks). SAC requests 43 more Agents, 16 more clerical employees (handled separately). No male employees overweight; no Agents on limited duty. 3 Agents unavailable - justified. 3 Agents on probation. Anonymous letter received during inspection containing derogatory allegations against SAC personally and as field office administrator (handled separately). One employee feels SAC aloof, inaccessible and feared by employees. SAC overheard by employees in his front office to use profane and unbecoming language. SAC Grapp was positively and emphatically advised by Assistant Director on scene to resolve matter of anonymous

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Re: Inspection - Los Angeles Office

letter that he should take immediate steps to insure all employees would have no reason to feel SAC unapproachable through normal channels. Grapp also emphatically advised by Assistant Director to immediately cease and desist use of objectionable language. With exception of areas noted immediately above, morale appears to be excellent.

Applicant Recruitment Matters - Good (Last Inspection - Not Rated). 14 Special Agents entering on duty since last inspection (12 since 1/1/66), exceeds quota of 8. Office censured December, 1965, for inadequate recruitment efforts but as result of revitalized and intensified efforts, commended March, 1966, for exceeding quota since first of year. Continued contacts being maintained with law schools, colleges, military and minority groups, and other sources for possible applicants. Additional sources suggested by Inspector. Los Angeles is nonquota clerical recruitment office but has recruited one clerk since last inspection.

Contacts - Excellent (Last Inspection - Excellent). [redacted] last inspection) in various fields furnishing diversified services; additional contacts still needed in some Resident Agencies. SAC has met [redacted] but ASAC who arrived December, 1965, not acquainted with majority of them; appropriate instructions issued. Speech program effective with good geographic coverage before quality groups. Radio and television being used effectively. Press relations favorable; fugitive publicity receiving wide dissemination. National Academy, police training and liaison programs operated effectively. Contact with U. S. Attorney and staff reveals relations with Los Angeles Office cordial and effective. Comments of individuals contacted by Inspection Staff indicate favorable image of FBI in Los Angeles territory. b7D b7E

RECOMMENDATIONS

1. Wesley G. Grapp, SAC since 3/1/64; GS-18 @ \$25,000, veteran, not on probation, 5th office as SAC. Rated satisfactory 1966 annual rating. Makes a substantial, mature appearance, is knowledgeable as to Bureau's policies and procedures. During inspection 4 substantive errors detected in work under his over-all supervision. SAC not culpable. One employee feels Grapp aloof and unapproachable for discussion of problems and feared by employees. Overheard by employees in office to use profane and unbecoming language. For this he should be severely censured. Continue as SAC. If approved, attached letter summarizing inspection findings and censuring his unseemly conduct should be forwarded.

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Re: Inspection - Los Angeles Office

2. ASAC [REDACTED], GS-14 @ \$16,204. ASAC at Los Angeles since 12/17/65; second office as ASAC; veteran, not on probation. Rated excellent 1966 annual rating. [REDACTED] is tall, ruggedly built and makes impressive personal appearance. He is hard working, seems interested and enthusiastic about his work and anxious to do a good job. During inspection 7 substantive errors detected in work under his over-all supervision; not directly involved or culpable. As ASAC in this office needs more seasoning. Continue in present assignment. If approved, attached letter to SAC will also advise ASAC of inspection findings. b6 b7C

3. Recommendations concerning other personnel handled separately.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : Director, FBI Att'n: Administrative Division DATE: 6/29/66

FROM : SAC, Los Angeles

SUBJECT: SAC WESLEY G. GRAPP
ANNUAL LEAVE

Re Forms FD-282A and SF-71 submitted by me on 6/20/66 requesting Annual Leave from 8:15 A.M., 6/24/66 to 5:00 P.M., 7/5/66.

This is to advise I commenced AL at 8:15 A.M. on 6/24/66. I cancelled my Annual Leave due to developments in the office and returned to duty at 9:15 A.M. on 6/29/66. Amended SF-71 enclosed.

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PERSONAL ATTENTION

Mr. Wesley G. Grapp
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Los Angeles, California

Dear Mr. Grapp:

I have reviewed the results of the recent inspection of the Los Angeles Office and have approved the following ratings for the various operations: Physical Condition and Maintenance and Contacts - Excellent; Administrative Operations, Investigative Operations and Applicant Recruitment Matters - Good; Personnel Matters - Fair.

I am pleased that your office is being utilized efficiently and to maximum benefit even though crowded. You should closely follow negotiations for additional space in headquarters as well as in those affected Resident Agencies. The minor delinquencies brought to your attention concerning space in the office and in the Resident Agencies must be promptly corrected.

Your automotive fleet was found to be adequate. No safety defects were detected in automobiles inspected. Your repair costs are over the field average and operating costs below. Economy, consistent with safe operations, must be practiced. It is expected that you will continue efforts to locate approved storage facilities for automobiles in the Whittier and Santa Maria Resident Agencies.

Delinquency in investigative matters in Los Angeles has been above the field average every month for the past year. Further, your delinquency in security matters has been particularly high. I will expect you to take firm action to reduce delinquencies immediately. Your statistical accomplishments for the first eleven months of this fiscal year show gratifying increases in three categories, but your serious decline in fines, savings and recoveries is an unsatisfactory trend which must be reversed immediately.

I am deeply concerned by the large number of unsolved bank robberies since the last inspection. In addition, you have a large number of old bank

1 - Mr. Callahan (Attention Mr. J. B. Adams) (With Enclosure)

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1 - Personnel File Wesley G. Grapp

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Mr. Wesley G. Grapp

robbery violations which have not been solved. The Inspector furnished a number of suggestions and approaches designed to be of assistance. These suggestions should not be considered as restrictive and correction of this highly undesirable condition will be a real challenge to your ability as an SAC. I will accept nothing less than substantial improvement.

The number of substantive errors noted and the undesirable trends detected in the delayed submission of documentary evidence to the FBI Laboratory, the untimely closing of cases after declinations by the U. S. Attorney are received, the delayed reporting and the delinquencies in interview logs sharply point up a need to reiterate to all investigative personnel their responsibilities for the prompt and thorough handling of all matters. It is your personal responsibility to see that appropriate training programs and supervisory controls are instituted by your staff so that these deficiencies are eliminated.

Your Criminal Informant Program was rated very good in view of the increase in quality, coverage and accomplishments. However, the reduction in the number of informants and potential informants must be corrected if you are to maintain an over-all high standard of performance in this area.

Your Criminal Intelligence and Interstate Gambling Programs were rated good. The Inspector noted an increased pace and enthusiasm in the handling of these matters which is expected, if continued, to improve a past record which was not consistent with the results expected of Los Angeles.

As you are aware, a potentially explosive and extremely tense racial situation exists in Los Angeles. You must improve and strengthen the coverage of these matters to insure that you are aware of developments in advance. It is extremely important that you increase the number of racial informants.

The Communist Party in Los Angeles (second largest in the United States) and its associated groups appear to be well covered by the excellent security informants you have developed. However, there is a need for additional Nation of Islam coverage on a top-level basis.

You have currently under investigation a most important Soviet espionage agent. Thorough and precise investigative techniques must be applied in this case to insure that our responsibilities are meticulously met and the groundwork laid for a successful prosecution.

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Mr. Wesley G. Grapp

It is gratifying to know that your missed fugitive, applicant and civil rights deadlines are below average. Every effort must be made to continue this favorable condition.

The Inspector reported that while your Chief Clerk's Office was functioning effectively, the backlog of project work is still high. You must promptly initiate a program to reduce it as directed by the Inspector.

The stenographic and typing production of your office must be improved. The excessive retypes must be drastically reduced. This phase of your operations must receive your close and personal attention if you expect to effect the desired results. While your communications and per diem costs have been below the Bureau base, the travel costs have been slightly above. You must take the necessary steps to keep these costs at an absolute minimum. The Inspector noted the time spent in the office is still entirely too high. This has been repeatedly brought to your attention and I will expect you to take positive steps to reduce the time Agents spend in the office. Voluntary overtime has increased since last inspection. Follow this matter closely to insure that all overtime necessary in the proper discharge of the responsibilities of the Los Angeles Office is productive and equitably shared.

You will be separately advised concerning your request for additional Agent and clerical personnel.

I was shocked to learn that female employees have overheard you using unbecoming language and you are being severely censured for such conduct. I must insist that you conduct yourself on every occasion in a manner befitting a Bureau official. Your conduct and language must be that of a gentleman at all times. This is an intolerable situation and must be corrected immediately or you will be replaced as SAC.

I was also shocked to learn one key clerical employee indicated that employees feel you are inaccessible for contact on any problem and that they are afraid of you. I realize there are a large number of employees in your office; however, each should feel that he can come to you, through proper channels, for a resolution of his problems. Such access is particularly important in developing and sustaining high morale among employees. Without high morale, employees' interest wanes, our accomplishments are lessened and the over-all performance of the office subsides. I have always been proud of the esprit de corps that has characterized the FBI and I will not tolerate any conduct which detracts from this fine spirit.

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Mr. Wesley G. Grapp

I am pleased with your recent results in recruitment matters and it is most gratifying to learn that you have exceeded your Agent quota. However, I cannot help but reflect that it was first necessary for the Bureau to severely criticize you for your inadequate recruitment efforts before you took the necessary action to revitalize this important program. You should develop your liaison contacts so that in the event it becomes necessary to set quotas again your current creditable record will be sustained.

Your [] are affording diversified coverage but efforts should be made to obtain [] in your Resident Agency territory. Although [] have been met by you, the Assistant Special Agent in Charge should promptly meet those whom he does not know. Your speech program and dissemination being made of fugitive notices are noteworthy. Your over-all police training program was found to be effective and I am pleased to learn that the FBI's image is favorable in your territory.

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You and your Assistant Special Agent in Charge must carefully study the inspection findings and within thirty days of receipt of this letter inform the Bureau of corrective action taken.

Very truly yours,

John Edgar Hoover
Director

NOTE: Based on memo, W.M. Felt to Mr. Tolson dated 6/23/66, captioned "Inspection - Los Angeles Office, Inspector P. C. Young, May 16 - June 8, 1966," PCY:bhg.

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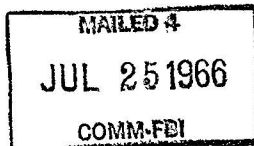
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Mr. Wesley G. Grapp
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Los Angeles, California

Dear Mr. Grapp:

Time Spent in Office by Agents (TIO) for the Los Angeles Office was 20.2 per cent for June which is the lowest reported for some time and a desirable indicator that lower TIO can be achieved by your office. However, this figure, while a reduction from previous months, should be further reduced. Continued emphasis for only necessary TIO should be stressed and personally followed by you.

Sincerely yours,
J. Edgar Hoover



John Edgar Hoover
Director

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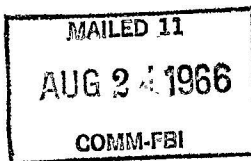
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Mr. Wesley G. Grapp
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Los Angeles, California

Dear Mr. Grapp:

The daily overtime average for your office for July was 2 hours and 56 minutes. This is an increase over June and the highest average for your office for some time. Overtime must be kept to a minimum and every effort made to reduce overtime, consistent with the discharge of official business. You should give this matter your personal attention.

Sincerely yours,



J. Edgar Hoover
John Edgar Hoover
Director

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September 16, 1966

MEMORANDUM FOR MR. TOLSON

On September 12, 1966, I saw Special Agent in Charge Wesley G. Grapp of the Los Angeles Field Division. Mr. Grapp is one of the older SACs, seems to be interested in his work though one gains the impression that he may have a tendency toward superiority in manner.

I told Mr. Grapp that I was concerned about the large number of classes of cases which were in excess of 7% delinquency and he should take steps to bring about a correction in this situation. I also called his attention to the fact that agents of the Los Angeles Office in August of 1966, had closed only 10.6 cases per agent which I considered to be low and I felt they should be closing between 12 to 13 cases per agent.

I pointed out to Mr. Grapp that in the first two months of the current fiscal year his office had dropped 14% in convictions as compared with the same period of the previous year, that this should be looked into promptly so the situation could be corrected. In all other items he has had a substantial increase in accomplishments.

I told him I also noted the Los Angeles agents in August spent 18.1% of their time in the office and I considered this excessive and should be materially reduced.

I discussed with him generally the matter of informant coverage, stressing the importance of quality informants in all three areas of criminal, racial and domestic intelligence informant coverage.

I discussed with him the inspection made of his office last May and told him I noted that in four items he had been rated either good or fair. I pointed out to him that I had discontinued the rating good as I considered it to be in the "gray zone" and that it showed a tendency toward drifting into fair or unsatisfactory. I went over with him in detail the various items under investigative operations, administrative operations, personnel matters and applicant recruitment matters.

I also mentioned to him that I thought his request for 43 additional agents was unreasonable and that the inspector likewise thought the same thing and indicated that 17 would be justified and that 8 of the 17 could be

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taken from within the Los Angeles Office.

I told Mr. Grapp that I noted the Los Angeles Office in August averaged 2 hours and 51 minutes overtime per day, which could not be avoided in view of the volume of work we have and the inadequate personnel we have at the present time.

Mr. Grapp mentioned the matter of moving to a new location in Los Angeles and I told him that I was not inclined to agree with him on this recommendation. I told him I preferred to wait for another inspection of his office and also for the establishment of the office in Sacramento as he would lose some work to the Sacramento Office.

I told him I noted there were 243 bank robberies, 11 burglaries and 5 larcenies unsolved and this is a highly undesirable situation.

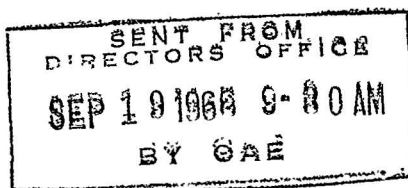
I called his attention to the fact that since January of 1966, his office has recruited 21 Special Agents, that I expected him to continue to intensify this project.

I stressed the importance of the proper coverage of the racial situation in the Los Angeles Field Division, particularly through the use of informants.

I also stressed the importance of the proper coverage of the Communist Party in the Los Angeles Field Division in view of its being well organized and having 545 Party members.

I discussed with Mr. Grapp the over-all criminal intelligence program in view of the existence of the Cosa Nostra in the Los Angeles area, that he should make every effort to intensify the coverage of this group of organized crime and intensify his efforts in developing gambling cases on which the Cosa Nostra obtains a very substantial income.

Very truly yours,



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John Edgar Hoover
Director

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TO : Mr. Mohr

DATE: 9-6-66

FROM : N. P. Callahan *NPC*

SUBJECT: IN-SERVICE TRAINING AND
TWO-DAY CONFERENCES SCHEDULE

On Monday, September 12, 1966, the following are scheduled to come to Washington, D. C.:

W. G. Grapp, SAC, Los Angeles
Two-Day Conferences

A. C. McCray, Assistant Legal Attache, London
Two-Day Conferences and two weeks'
AFSAM-7 Training

J. D. Purvis, SAC, Washington Field
Two-Day Conferences

In accordance with prior approval Mr. McCray has coordinated his home leave with these conferences and the AFSAM-7 training and is currently in a leave status.

A check has been made with the Director's Office, Mr. Mohr, and Mr. DeLoach, as well as the following divisions: Crime Records, Domestic Intelligence, Files & Communications, General Investigative, Identification, Inspection, Laboratory, Training and Special Investigative. There are no reasons known why the above should not be brought in at the times scheduled.

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1 - Mr. DeLoach
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September 27, 1966

PERSONAL ATTENTION

Mr. Wesley G. Grapp
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Los Angeles, California

Dear Mr. Grapp:

The daily overtime average for the Los Angeles Office for August was 2 hours and 51 minutes. This is still considered high, although lower than the previous month. A definite effort must be made to keep overtime to a minimum and this cannot be overemphasized. You are being held responsible to insure steps will be taken in order that a decrease in overtime will be forthcoming.

Sincerely yours;

J. Edgar Hoover

John Edgar Hoover
Director

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- 1 - Inspection Division
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September 29, 1966

Mr. Wesley G. Grapp
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Los Angeles, California

Dear Mr. Grapp:

I want you to know I was pleased to note that your division reported a substantial reduction in the number of Bureau automobile accidents for the fiscal year 1966, as compared with the previous fiscal year.

This fine record is indicative of the care and close attention which the personnel of your division have demonstrated in operating the Bureau's automotive equipment. I do not want the occasion to pass without expressing my appreciation for this splendid achievement.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

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Based on memo Adams-Callahan 9/22/66 re Bureau Automobile Accidents - Fiscal Year 1966.

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September 30, 1966

PERSONAL

Mr. Wesley G. Grapp
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Los Angeles, California

Dear Grapp:

The immediate and aggressive steps you took in defending the Bureau recently when one of the speakers at a conference you were attending made unfounded and biased allegations against the FBI are greatly appreciated.

You completely dominated this situation, representing the FBI with outstanding dignity and effectiveness and your comments brought an unusually favorable response from those in attendance and certainly enhanced our prestige in the area. I want to commend you for your superb rebuttal of these false allegations.

Sincerely, REC-148
J. Edgar Hoover

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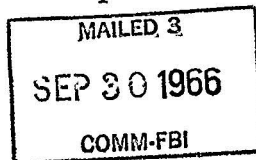
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Based on memo Jones to Wick 9-28-66 re [redacted]
[redacted] Los Angeles Times.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : Director, FBI

DATE: 9/23/66

FROM : *WJG* SAC, Los Angeles

SUBJECT: [REDACTED]

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Los Angeles Times
ALLEGATIONS AGAINST FBI IN SPEECH
9/22/66 at AVALON, CALIFORNIA, BEFORE
THE TENTH ANNUAL TREASURY ENFORCEMENT
AGENCIES COORDINATION CONFERENCE

Los Angeles Times The above-captioned individual has been for approximately two years [REDACTED] of the "Los Angeles Times" newspaper. He formerly was [REDACTED] at the time of the Sinatra Kidnaping Case during which period this newspaper was exceedingly critical of my predecessor, the Bureau and Bureau officials. The animosity that he has for the Bureau apparently stems from his close working relationship with [REDACTED]. He is approximately [REDACTED] years of age and has been in newspaper work reportedly for [REDACTED] years.

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He made the luncheon speech on 9/22/66 before the Tenth Annual Treasury Enforcement Agencies Coordination Conference at Avalon, California. There were in attendance approximately 150 of the leading law enforcement officials throughout the nation. They included the Chief of Intelligence Division of Internal Revenue Service (IRS), Washington, D. C., Regional and District Directors of the various agencies of Customs, IRS, Federal Bureau of Narcotics, Alcohol and Tobacco Tax Units, U. S. Coast Guard, numerous Chiefs of Police and ranking officers and myself.

OCT 25 [REDACTED] was introduced by the luncheon chairman who stated that [REDACTED] would be in attendance approximately one hour to one hour and 15 minutes after his speech to answer any and all questions and to further discuss his views. [REDACTED] spoke exclusively from what appeared to be typed double-spaced prepared manuscript. The theme of his speech apparently pertained to public apathy concerning crime.

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[REDACTED] started out reading from the prepared text and immediately was highly critical of the uncooperativeness of law enforcement in general. No copies of the speech were disseminated or available and apparently he had the only copy.

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*WJG to Wick
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which he kept in his possession. He stated that when they sent a reporter out to get the facts on a crime they get a minimum of cooperation. He said in effect they got less than they should from the local authorities and from the Federal authorities they got even less and the worst offender of all was the FBI. In a loud audible voice so that all could hear, including the speaker, I stated that at the completion of his talk I would demand time for rebuttal. He then proceeded to castigate the FBI in its operation by making the following allegations:

1. He stated a good example of the lack of cooperation by the FBI involved the alleged skimming operation in Las Vegas. He said the FBI had publicly stated that we had information reflecting extensive skimming by hoodlums. When the appropriate agency of the State of Nevada attempted to get the details we refused to give them that information or even appear at the hearings and gave them no cooperation.

2. He said it was not uncommon for the FBI to make an arrest and three days later his newspaper would get the news release. He gave no specifics.

3. He stated he was sick and tired of the FBI handling bank robbery matters and making the news release out of Bureau Headquarters in Washington, D. C.

4. He said that in following the Top Ten Program or Ten Most Wanted List and the apprehension of some of these individuals he was in doubt. He indicated he had doubts as to whether they were put on the list in good faith or whether we knew their whereabouts before they were added.

5. He stated another example of the uncooperative nature of the FBI involved the Sinatra case. He said the FBI flatly refused to inform the Los Angeles Police Department and the late Chief of Police WILLIAM PARKER that there was a kidnaping case even though it was also in his jurisdiction. Further we refused to cooperate entirely with the LAPD concerning this matter and it was the FBI's fault because of its refusal to communicate with PARKER.

After making the above allegations he then went into generalities pertaining to public apathy. The speech lasted approximately 20 minutes.

Upon the completion of the speech I immediately took the floor and in a firm voice that all could hear I directed [redacted] attention to the fact that he did not know what he was

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talking about in his allegations concerning the FBI. I was polite but forceful and firm throughout my presentation. I then rebutted each allegation in its entirety as follows:

1. As to the FBI not appearing before a panel in Las Vegas I called his attention to the fact that apparently he was not familiar with the law although he should have some knowledge of it because of his position and background and he should know that to "try" any such matters in the newspaper prior to appropriate judicial proceedings could seriously jeopardize any current or future prosecutions of persons involved. I pointed out that his newspaper on numerous occasions has carried such articles pertaining to cases and court rulings to this very effect.

2. I directed his attention to his statement that news releases were three days late. I pointed out to him there was no substance whatsoever and he had failed entirely in citing so much as even one instance of a delay. I challenged him to do so if he could. I pointed out to him that each press release is made contemporaneously with the arrest and that at no time had there ever been any inquiry, complaint, or criticism by his newspaper as to the promptness or completeness of the releases and no information has been received indicating such was furnished them other than concurrently with the arrest.

3. I called his attention to the fact that he claimed he was sick and tired of having news releases come out of Washington concerning bank robberies. He was informed that from memory during the past year alone I estimated this office handled approximately 300 or more news releases and press inquiries and I could recall only one instance in which there was a release on a bank robbery matter out of Washington. I told him that that case involved a Ten Most Wanted Fugitive, which had not only local interest but also had district, regional, and nationwide interest because of the man's background, propensities, travels, etc., and the release out of Washington was entirely fitting and proper. He was also told that his newspaper could and did receive all fill-in information they needed concerning this matter from the local FBI Office. It was pointed out to him the fugitive was not even apprehended in Los Angeles but in a distant city. [REDACTED]
Pacific Savings and Loan Ass'n, Monterey Park Branch, 201 North Garfield Street, Monterey Park, California, 2/7/66
Bufile 91-23735, LA file 91-5996.)

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4. His attention was directed to the false allegations or implication that he left concerning the FBI's selection of persons for the Top Ten or Ten Most Wanted list. I told him that since the inception of the program I knew of no instance

where any fugitive was added to this list where we had any indication as to his present whereabouts. I called his attention to the fact that he had completely failed to document such an unfounded allegation and had failed to mention even one such alleged instance. I told him he could not because such alleged instances did not exist.

5. I directed his attention to the unfounded and unwarranted statement he had made concerning the FBI and its lack of cooperation with the Los Angeles Police Department and Chief PARKER. I told him that he apparently was unaware of all the facts in this situation, including the appearance of Chief PARKER on a local television program shortly after the kidnaping was successfully solved and handled in a highly competent manner by the FBI. On that program PARKER stated to the effect the FBI cooperates with the Los Angeles Police Department and the Police Department works with the FBI in bank robberies and in other types of cases in which there is concurrent jurisdiction. PARKER also stated that on a daily basis there was an exchange of information between his Department and the FBI. Also on this program he stated that the Sinatra Kidnaping case was a highly unusual case with extraordinary circumstances and did not represent the usual situation. (Interview of 2/5/64 on Los Angeles television Station KHJ-TV by News Commentator [redacted]) I informed him that I had been in PARKER's company on various occasions since the Sinatra Kidnaping case and at no time did he ever voice any criticism of the FBI. b6 b7C

I concluded by stating that I was frequently in the company of NORMAN CHANDLER, the owner of the newspaper, had lunch with OTIS CHANDLER, the publisher. I and others from the FBI were in frequent contact with [redacted] b6 b7C [redacted] and numerous others at his newspaper. I pointed out to him that I make it a practice of periodically going through the Los Angeles Times building and visiting with the key officials. At no time had I met him because he had never been in when I was there. I pointed out to him that I specifically ask each of his official superiors as well as the other appropriate personnel if they have any criticism whatsoever of the FBI and its handling of news releases. I pointed out to him that each and every such contact has resulted in the statement by his official superiors and associates they had no criticism whatsoever and were highly pleased. I pointed out to him that definitely he did not have the facts concerning his false allegations involving the FBI, that his attack was entirely without basis, and he apparently did not even know what was going on in his own newspaper office concerning its relations

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with the FBI. With that I sat down.

My rebuttal took approximately 10 minutes. There was hearty applause. When I completed it [redacted] appeared shaken, b6 b7C was at a loss for words and some described him as in a "state of shock." He stood facing me during my entire presentation. He said absolutely nothing when I had completed my comments and challenges for specifics for his false allegations. He made no attempt to talk, argue or to rebut and stood silently for approximately 2 minutes. Shortly thereafter instead of answering questions for an hour or more as was originally scheduled he hurriedly departed the area. Before he departed he was challenged by a U. S. Narcotics official for having such poor quality of reporters that some were so busy playing cards they wouldn't take a press release. Another official pointed out to him that in the past three years his paper did not have even one reporter assigned to the downtown Federal Building.

It should be noted that when I was part way through my rebuttal there was distraction and disturbance among one segment of the audience. I turned and quickly recognized them to be members of the Intelligence Unit of the Los Angeles Police Department. It will be recalled they again became unhappy at the Bureau recently when we determined they had in their possession an unauthorized copy of an FBI report on La Cosa Nostra originally obtained surreptitiously by the Dallas Police Department. One of the individuals in this Intelligence Unit, which reports directly to the Chief, was given a 30 day suspension concerning this matter. When the attempted disruption started I turned, pointed to them, identified them to the entire gathering and demanded that they act like gentlemen and conduct themselves in the same manner that they would desire were they speaking. They were told such gentlemanly conduct on their part would be appreciated by the entire audience. That silenced them immediately. They acted like small boys who had been publicly reprimanded. It raised the question in my mind whether this Intelligence Unit provided the information or the stimulus for the speaker to make the above-referred to wild unfounded allegations.

After the meeting was over and on an individual basis I appropriately handled [redacted] of the b6 b7C Intelligence Unit and [redacted].

Immediately after the meeting approximately 100 ranking officers in attendance including representatives from the USA's Office, U. S. Secret Service, Narcotics, Internal Revenue Service, etc. queued up in line and made many highly flattering comments, some of which are as follows:

"You made an excellent choice to take on that jerk," "It was one of the most articulate rebuttals ever made," "You rebutted each and every allegation in its entirety," "He asked for it and you laid him out like a rug," "That young man who was the speaker learned a very valuable lesson the hard way," "You did the FBI proud today," "It is the best rebuttal I have ever heard," "You certainly represented the FBI in the highest tradition of the Bureau," "Taking the floor and dominating the situation and making the speaker eat his own words will not only serve as a valuable lesson for the speaker but all in attendance, that is, 'don't take on the FBI unless you have the facts,' "etc.

As can be seen from the above, the false allegations and the attempted heckling was promptly, effectively and thoroughly handled.

It is my intention under the appropriate circumstances to discuss the atrocious allegations and unwarranted attack on the FBI by [redacted] with his official superiors at the Los Angeles Times. I also intend to take up the attempted disrespectful conduct of the Intelligence Officers of the Los Angeles Police Department who are PARKER trained and loyal to his views concerning the FBI at the appropriate time and under the appropriate circumstances with the Chief of Police and/or the Los Angeles Police Commission.

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I will continue to protect the good name of the Bureau and its officials from each and every attack by our enemies.

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JUL 7 1978

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : Mr. Wick *Wick*

DATE: 9-28-66

FROM : M. A. Jones *M.A. Jones*

SUBJECT:

LOS ANGELES TIMES

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SAC Grapp, Los Angeles, by letter dated 9-23-66, advised that was the speaker at a luncheon given by the Tenth Annual Treasury Enforcement Agencies Coordination Conference at Avalon, California, on 9-22-66. A number of leading law enforcement officials were present at this meeting, including the Chief of Intelligence Division, Internal Revenue Service, Washington, D. C., and District Directors of such agencies as the Federal Bureau of Narcotics, Alcohol and Tobacco Tax Unit, U. S. Coast Guard and Customs. Numerous Chiefs of Police and ranking officers also attended this meeting, and SAC Grapp represented the Bureau there.

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speech related to public apathy concerning crime, and he read from a prepared text. He immediately launched a critical tirade against the uncooperativeness of law enforcement in general and stated that the worst offender of all law enforcement agencies was the FBI. At this point, in a voice audible to all, SAC Grapp stated that at the completion of talk he would demand time for rebuttal.

SAC Grapp advised then proceeded to castigate the FBI stating: (1) A good example of the lack of cooperation by the FBI was the refusal of the FBI to furnish Nevada officials details concerning skimming operations in Las Vegas; (2) it was not uncommon for the FBI to make an arrest regarding which his newspaper would not receive a news release until three days later. gave no specifics concerning this allegation; (3) said he was sick and tired of the FBI handling bank robbery matters and making the news releases from FBI Headquarters in Washington, D. C.; (4) he had doubts that fugitives were put on the FBI's "Ten Most Wanted" list in good faith, inferring that in some instances the fugitives' locations were known before they were added to the list; (5) a specific example of the uncooperative attitude of the FBI involved the Frank Sinatra case. alleged that the FBI had refused to cooperate with the Los Angeles Police Department in this matter and had even failed to inform that Department of the kidnaping, although it was also within that Department's jurisdiction.

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1 - Mr. DeLoach *DeLoach*

1 - Mr. Mohr *Mohr*

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1 - Mr. Wick

1 - Mr. Callahan

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1 - Mr. Felt

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M. A. Jones to Wick memo

RE: [redacted]

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[redacted] speech lasted about 20 minutes. At its end, Mr. Grapp took the floor and, in a polite but forceful manner, informed [redacted] he did not know what he was talking about. He then rebutted each allegation made by [redacted] pointing out in substance that the FBI has never added anyone to the "Ten Most Wanted" list whose location was known and [redacted] could not document such an allegation; that there was nothing to his statement that news releases relating to FBI arrests were given out three days later, and he challenged [redacted] to cite even one instance of a delay; that [redacted] statement concerning bank robbery news releases being issued in Washington was completely inaccurate and in the past year he could recall only one instance where this had occurred and that related to a case of national interest; and that [redacted] allegation that the FBI was uncooperative with the Los Angeles Police Department was unfounded, and he cited a local television appearance by the late Chief William Parker, shortly after the Sinatra kidnaping was solved, in which Parker stated that his department and the FBI worked closely on many types of cases.

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Mr. Grapp concluded by stating he was frequently in the company of Norman Chandler, owner of the "Los Angeles Times," Otis Chandler, the publisher, and other officials of the newspaper, and they had always indicated they had no criticism of the FBI and were highly pleased with its handling of news releases. He told [redacted] he apparently did not know what was going on in his own office in its relations with the FBI. This rebuttal was greeted with hearty applause, and [redacted], who appeared shaken, made no further statement in this matter. He left shortly thereafter, although he had originally been scheduled to answer questions for an hour. Mr. Grapp stated he received many flattering comments on his rebuttal from a large number of the officers at the meeting. He said it is his intention, under the appropriate circumstances, to discuss [redacted] actions with his superiors at the "Los Angeles Times."

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OBSERVATIONS:

Files contain no information relating to [redacted]. While we have had cordial relations with Norman Chandler and Otis Chandler, who are on the Special Correspondents' List, the "Los Angeles Times" ran a cartoon critical of the Director in August, 1966, and [redacted] [redacted] for this paper, has written stories critical of the Bureau in the past. It is apparent that SAC Grapp dominated this situation in an excellent manner, and his forceful rebuttal of these false allegations was most commendable.

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RECOMMENDATIONS:

1. That SAC Grapp be commended for his aggressive action in rebutting the false allegations made against the Bureau by [redacted].
2. That, if approved, this memorandum be sent to the Administrative Division for preparation of a letter commending SAC Grapp for his actions.

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October 10, 1966

Mr. Wesley G. Grapp
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Los Angeles, California

Dear Mr. Grapp:

I am pleased to commend, through you,
Special Agents [redacted]
and [redacted] for the fine manner in which they
performed in the apprehension of [redacted]
[redacted], one of the subjects of an Interstate
Transportation of Stolen Motor Vehicle case.

These men were very skillful and aggressive in carrying out their responsibilities and their teamwork in the sensitive arrest situation resulted in the prompt apprehension of this potentially dangerous fugitive without incident. I want you to convey my appreciation to them for their exemplary work.

Sincerely yours, ^{REC-148}
J. Edgar Hoover

1 - SAC, Los Angeles (Personal Attention)

Based on information submitted, Bureau has concluded that individual letters of commendation, as you recommended, are not warranted. Place a copy of this letter in files of above-named agents.

1 - [redacted] (Sent Direct)

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Based on memo Eddy-Gale 9/23/66 and addenda Inspection Division 10/3/66 and Administrative Division 10/4/66 re SA [redacted] Recommendation for Incentive Award, SAs [redacted] Recommendation for Commendation. Copies prepared and attached for placing in files of SAs [redacted]

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

*In Reply, Please Refer to
File No.*

Director
Federal Bureau of Investigation
United States Department of Justice
Washington, D. C. 20535

Dear Sir:

For inclusion in the fund to be paid to the designated beneficiary of any Special Agent of the FBI who has previously contributed to this fund and who dies from any cause except self-destruction while employed as a Special Agent, I am forwarding herewith (by Check - Money Order) the sum of \$10, payable to S.A.I.F., to be included in said fund. Payment will be made for death by self-destruction after the Agent has been a member of the fund for a continuous period of two years. It is understood and agreed that the sum tendered herewith is a voluntary, gratuitous contribution to said fund which I understand is to be administered in the following manner.

The Director of the FBI will appoint a committee which shall consider all matters pertaining to the acquisition, safe keeping and expending of said fund, which committee will recommend appropriate action to the Director in pertinent matters. The Assistant Director of the Administrative Division of the FBI shall receive all contributions and account for same to the Director. Upon the death of any Special Agent who is a member of said fund the appointed committee will consider the case and submit a recommendation to the Director as to its conclusions. Appropriate instructions will then be issued to the Assistant Director of the Administrative Division, directing him to pay to the designated beneficiary the sum of \$10,000. The liability of the fund shall not under any circumstances exceed the amount of monies in the fund at the time any liability shall occur.

EXECUTE IN DUPLICATE AND SUBMIT BOTH COPIES TO THE BUREAU

Official Bureau Name (please type or print)	Date	Office of Assignment (or SOG Division)
SA WESLEY G. GRAPP	9/30/66	Los Angeles

The following person is designated as my beneficiary for Special Agents Insurance Fund:

Name (primary beneficiary; use given first name if female)	Relationship
Carolyn K. Grapp	Wife

Address	
4800 Abbeyville Ave., Woodland Hills, California	91364

Name (contingent beneficiary, if desired; use given first name if female)	Relationship

Address	

Do you desire to designate the above-listed beneficiaries as the beneficiary and contingent beneficiary respectively of the Chas. S. Ross Fund as well? ☒ Yes ☐ No If not, the entire following portion must be executed.

The following person is designated as my beneficiary under the Chas. S. Ross Fund providing \$1500 death benefit to beneficiary of agents killed in the line of duty, other than travel accidents.

Name (primary beneficiary; use given first name if female)	Relationship

Address	

Name (contingent beneficiary, if desired; use given first name if female)	Relationship

Address	

Very truly yours,

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Special Agent

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 JUL 17 1978

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : Mr. Mohr

DATE: 9-9-66

FROM : N. P. Callahan

SUBJECT: WESLEY G. GRAPP
Special Agent in Charge
Los Angeles Office

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By memorandum of 9-8-66 information concerning the Los Angeles Office was furnished for the Director's use in the event he should see Mr. Grapp, who is scheduled to report to the Bureau on Monday, 9-12-66, for Two-day Conferences.

On page 18 of referenced memorandum information was set out concerning the robbery on 8-9-66 of [redacted] ex-movie actress and former wife of [redacted]. This robbery was committed by two men who gained entrance to [redacted] residence on the pretext of delivering flowers, held up [redacted] at gun point and fled with about \$75,000 in jewelry.

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By teletype dated 9-9-66 the Los Angeles Office has advised that [redacted] has been identified through investigation by that office as a participant in this robbery. Investigation has indicated [redacted] and his associates are also believed responsible for two other recent robberies in Beverly Hills, California and an unsuccessful attempt at robbery in Pasadena. Intensive investigation is continuing to identify all persons involved, to recover the stolen jewelry and to develop evidence to implicate the subjects in a federal violation.

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For information of the Director.

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Date: 10/20/66

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AIR MAIL

Via _____
(Priority)TO: DIRECTOR, FBI -- ATTENTION INSP. WILLIAM S. HYDE,
MR. MOHR'S OFFICE

FROM: SAC, CINCINNATI (67-956)

WESLEY G. GRAPP
SPECIAL AGENT IN CHARGE
LOS ANGELES DIVISIONConfirming information furnished this date to
Inspector WILLIAM S. HYDE of Mr. MOHR's office.

[redacted]
telephonically contacted Senior Resident Agent [redacted]
[redacted] of the Chillicothe, Ohio, Resident Agency, and
furnished him in confidence information which earlier in
the day had been brought to his attention by [redacted]
[redacted], who is the owner of [redacted]
[redacted] located at [redacted]

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[redacted] stated that [redacted]
informed him that [redacted]

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[redacted] also made the statement to [redacted]
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[redacted] in giving the above information to Senior Resident Agent [redacted] was unaware of the fact that Mr. GRAPP is the Special Agent in Charge of the Los Angeles Office, and was only passing on to Special Agent [redacted] information which he felt might be of interest to the Bureau.

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[redacted] does not desire his identity revealed as the source of the information, inasmuch as, according to him, [redacted] would immediately identify [redacted] as the source of the above information in the event he was queried re same.

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Cincinnati indices are negative regarding [redacted]. Bureau's attention is invited to a letter written to the Honorable EVELYN W. COFFMAN [redacted] [redacted] dated 10/10/66, in response to a letter received from Judge COFFMAN dated 10/4/66. Further attention is directed to Cincinnati airtel to the Director dated 10/15/66 showing results of discreet inquiries made to determine the reputation of Judge COFFMAN and the fact that we were advised of the possibility of Judge COFFMAN's interest in and possible membership in the John Birch Society.

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The only other additional information obtained concerning the reliability of [redacted] is that [redacted] states that [redacted] [redacted] reliable information in the past concerning local matters at [redacted].

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Per Bureau instructions, attempts are under way to locate [redacted] for interview. Results will be furnished Bureau immediately.

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October 26, 1966

PERSONAL ATTENTION

Mr. Wesley G. Grapp
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Los Angeles, California

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Dear Mr. Grapp:

The daily overtime average for the Los Angeles Office showed a decrease for September from the previous month and this is desirable. The office average was 2 hours and 49 minutes. This is still considered high and further reduction should be effected. Overtime must be kept to a minimum and you have been impressed with this fact. More of an awareness on the part of your agent personnel in this regard must be shown in the future.

Sincerely yours,
J. Edgar Hoover

John Edgar Hoover
Director

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NOTE: Letters being written to SACs of offices where office overtime average for September, 1966, considered high.

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TO : MR. MOHR

DATE: 10/20/66

FROM : W. S. HYDE *WSH*

SUBJECT: SAC WESLEY G. GRAPP
Los Angeles Office
EOD 11/4/46, GS-18, \$25,890

SAC William B. Soyars, Jr., of the Cincinnati Office telephonically advised me of the following information which he had received this same afternoon. He stated that [redacted]

It should be noted that [redacted]

[redacted] alleged to [redacted]

[redacted] told the above information to Resident Agent [redacted] of the Chillicothe Resident Agency of the Cincinnati Office on the afternoon of 10/20/66. He also requested that his name be kept confidential in this matter because he had no way of knowing that [redacted] had discussed this matter with anyone else. [redacted] added that [redacted] are known as active and self-proclaimed members of the John Birch Society, in and around [redacted]

SAC Soyars of the Cincinnati Office was instructed that he should immediately interview [redacted] in detail concerning the allegations that [redacted]

1 - Mr. Callahan

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Memorandum for Mr. Mohr
RE: SAC WESLEY G. GRAPP

[] He should also interview them concerning alleged statements made concerning [] Soyars stated that he was making arrangements to do so as soon as possible. He will notify the Bureau concerning the results of interviews with [] immediately after they are conducted. b6 b7c

RECOMMENDATION:

That this matter concerning allegations made against SAC Wesley G. Grapp be closely followed.

Yes.
Wesley G. Grapp
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Wesley G. Grapp

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Mr. Wesley G. Grapp
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Los Angeles, California

Dear Grapp:

Today marks your Twentieth Anniversary of service and I wish to extend to you my heartiest congratulations. In commemoration of this event, I wish to present your Twenty-Year Service Award Key which you should wear with a feeling of justifiable pride in the knowledge that you have materially contributed to our accomplishments during your years with the FBI.

Throughout this period of your service we have been faced at times with tasks which appeared overwhelming but through the efforts of our experienced personnel we successfully surmounted them. The many outstanding achievements of the Bureau, to a very great degree, are attributable directly to the efficiency, guidance, leadership and unwavering enthusiasm of associates such as you. I want you to know how much I have valued your loyalty and dedication.

The Bureau has been fortunate indeed to have men of your qualifications on whom it could rely.

With best wishes and kind regards,

Sincerely,

J. Edgar Hoover

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : Mr. Callahan

DATE: 10-25-66

FROM : J. B. Adams *JBA*

SUBJECT: SAC WESLEY G. GRAPP
Los Angeles Office
EOD 11-4-46
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In memorandum of 10-20-66 from Mr. Hyde to Mr. Mohr information was set forth concerning certain allegations made against SAC Grapp, one of them being that [redacted]

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[redacted] Instructions were issued that the matter be immediately resolved and the Director noted, "Follow closely."

[Handwritten: 10-21-66]
Results of the inquiry have now been received and it has been determined that the allegations are completely without basis. As a matter of background, SAC Soyars, Cincinnati Office, telephonically advised the Bureau 10-20-66 that on that date certain information had been received from [redacted] regarding SAC Grapp.

In substance, [redacted] advised that he had recently talked with [redacted] owner of [redacted]

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[redacted] furnished the above information to SA [redacted] of the Chillicothe Resident Agency.

SAC Soyars personally interviewed [redacted] on 10-21-66 regarding the above and [redacted] stated that after having discussed the matter with SA [redacted] he had had time to reflect on what [redacted] had said

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Enclosure *sent B-De-66*
1 - Mr. Felt
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Memo Adams to Callahan
Re: SAC Wesley G. Grapp
Los Angeles Office

in his conversation. He stated he still had the impression that [redacted]

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Thereafter, SAC contacted [redacted] (an attempt to locate her husband had proved negative) at her office in [redacted]. According to SAC, [redacted] was frankly delighted to have been contacted by an Agent, that she was highly praiseful of the Director, and both she and her husband regard the Director as the greatest living American patriot. During the course of the conversation which followed, she informed SAC that while on a recent trip to the West Coast she never met anyone from the FBI and had never visited any FBI offices on the West Coast.

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Subsequently, [redacted] husband arrived and during the conversation with him he stated that he was a supporter of Robert Welch, leader of the John Birch Society, and that he knew Mr. Welch extremely well. During this conversation, it was determined that [redacted] had never before met any FBI Agent and specifically has never met SAC Grapp nor has he ever been in any FBI office. Further, that while on the West Coast he visited and talked with [redacted] whom he claimed to be "[redacted] for the FBI in Los Angeles." By way of explanation, [redacted] stated that [redacted] of a group called Freedom's Center and in such capacity comes into considerable information regarding communist activities which he furnishes to the FBI. SAC notes that undoubtedly this reference to [redacted] as [redacted] for the FBI was interpreted by [redacted] as the head of the Los Angeles FBI Office. With respect to the conversation concerning the passage of a new Gun Law, this took place while [redacted] was on the West Coast in the company of [redacted] and two or three other individuals including the attorney who handled General Walker's libel suit in Texas and Mississippi. [redacted] believed that [redacted] made a statement to the effect that the Gun Law should not take away from anyone the right to maintain a weapon in his home.

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Memo Adams to Callahan
Re: SAC Wesley G. Grapp
Los Angeles Office

In summary, SAC, Cincinnati notes that it appears that [redacted] in an attempt to be of assistance to the FBI misunderstood statements made by [redacted] whereas it has been firmly established that SAC Grapp was not involved in any way with respect to the recent visit of [redacted] to the West Coast. SAC does point out that [redacted] is a very good friend of the FBI's Cincinnati Office, has always been very cooperative, and is highly regarded in law enforcement circles in Ohio. He points out that no further action is being taken in this matter.

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RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE ADMINISTRATIVE DIVISION:

(1) The allegations concerning SAC Grapp are without any basis and, therefore, it is recommended that no further action be taken with respect to them.

OK.
[Signature]

(2) Upon recontact by SAC regarding his allegations, [redacted] was not as positive regarding the information which he had previously furnished. Nevertheless, it is possible that in his mind there is some substance to the information he furnished; and in order to dispell any doubts which he might have, it is recommended that he be recontacted and tactfully advised that apparently there was some misunderstanding since there is no basis whatsoever regarding the allegations made against SAC Grapp.

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OK.
[Signature]

Proposed communication to SAC, Cincinnati attached for approval.

✓ *OK.*
I think Grapp should be cautioned & be most circumspect in any contacts with [redacted].
[Signature]
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Date: 10/22/66

Transmit the following in _____
(Type in plaintext or code)Via AIRTEL _____
(Priority)

Mr. Tolson	✓
Mr. DeLoach	✓
Mr. Mohr	✓
Mr. Wick	✓
Mr. Casper	✓
Mr. Callahan	✓
Mr. Conrad	✓
Mr. Felt	✓
Mr. Gale	✓
Mr. Rosen	✓
Mr. Sullivan	✓
Mr. Tavel	✓
Mr. Trotter	✓
Tele. Room	✓
Miss Holmes	✓
Miss Gandy	✓

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI -- ATTENTION INSP. WILLIAM S. HYDE
MR. MOHR'S OFFICE

FROM: SAC, CINCINNATI (67-956)

SUBJECT: WESLEY G. GRAPP
SPECIAL AGENT IN CHARGE
LOS ANGELES DIVISION

Re my airtel, 10/20/66.

SUMMARY:

Information developed that SAC GRAPP is not known by [redacted]. In fact, no FBI agents are known by [redacted].

DETAILS:

I personally interviewed [redacted] on 10/21/66, concerning the information he furnished Senior RA, [redacted] of the Chillicothe, Ohio Resident Agency.

[redacted] stated that after having discussed the matter with Agent [redacted], he had had time to reflect on what [redacted] had said in the conversation of 10/20/66. It was still his impression that [redacted]

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[REDACTED] did state that [REDACTED] is extremely anti-communist, and in his opinion, [REDACTED] is a member of the John Birch Society. [REDACTED] stated that the only reason he furnished this information to SA [REDACTED] was that he felt we should know that [REDACTED] had mentioned the FBI, and any mention made of the FBI by anyone, he feels should be referred to the FBI.

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For information of the Bureau, [REDACTED] is a very good friend of the FBI Cincinnati Office and has been known personally by the SAC, Cincinnati for about a year. He has always been very cooperative with this division and is highly regarded in law enforcement circles in Ohio. [REDACTED]

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SAC Cincinnati attempted to locate [REDACTED] at [REDACTED], however, he was gone and his whereabouts were not known at [REDACTED] which he owns.

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Thereafter contact was had by SAC at [REDACTED] with [REDACTED] at her office in [REDACTED]

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[] was delighted frankly to have been contacted by an Agent. She is highly praiseful of the director and both she and her husband regard Director HOOVER as the greatest living American patriot. There is no question but that [] and her husband are highly patriotic and are extremely anti-communist. Immediately after our initial meeting, she informed me that her husband was at their home in Washington Court House, and she would greatly like to invite him to her office to meet me. I, of course, concurred with this suggestion. Prior to the arrival of her husband, I asked her about the alleged recent trip to the West Coast. She informed me that they had made such a trip during the summer to meet with various people on the West Coast who were active in the fight against Communism. She informed me they had never met anyone from the FBI and had never visited any FBI offices on the West Coast.

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After her husband, [] arrived at [] office, I had a lengthy conversation with him ([] left to attend to other business).

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[] is indeed a most rapid talker. He is rabid also in his hate for Communism. He told me he was a supporter of ROBERT WELCH, leader of the John Birch Society and knew Mr. WELCH extremely well - he mentioned having visited in his home and attending a number of meetings and seminars with Mr. WELCH. He travels a great deal throughout the country, attending patriotic rallies and visiting various groups and individuals who have as their objective a stand against Communism.

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[] the following is set forth:

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1. [] has never met any FBI Agent (with the exception of SAC, Cincinnati) specifically, he has never met Mr. GRAPP, nor has he ever been in any FBI Office.

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2. While on the West Coast, he visited and talked with [], whom he claims is [] for the FBI in Los Angeles". I queried him re this statement. He stated that [] of a group called Freedom's Center, and in such capacity, comes into considerable information re communist activities,

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which he furnishes to the FBI.

3. Undoubtedly, this reference to [redacted] as [redacted] for the FBI" was interpreted by [redacted] as [redacted] - In my conversation with [redacted], He frankly admitted that the name used by [redacted] in reference to [redacted] of the FBI in Los Angeles was not remembered by [redacted].

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4. With reference to the conversation concerning the passage of a new gun law, [redacted] stated while he was on the West Coast in the company of [redacted] (who is apparently associated in some capacity with the movie industry) and [redacted], conversation was had concerning the proposed new gun law. It is his recollection that the attorney who handled General WALKER's libel suit in Texas and Mississippi was present during this conversation. It grew out of a discussion concerning the Watts Riot in Los Angeles and the fact that people should have guns in their homes to defend themselves. It is his recollection that [redacted] did make a statement to the effect that the gun law should not take away from anyone the right to maintain a weapon in his home - As noted, Mr. GRAPP was not present at this conversation.

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In summary, it appears that [redacted] in an attempt to be of assistance to the FBI, misunderstood statements made by [redacted] and based upon interview with the three, it has been firmly established that neither SAC GRAPP or, in fact, any FBI Agent is known to the [redacted] or is any way involved in this matter. No further action being taken by Cincinnati.

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To: SAC, Los Angeles

PERSONAL ATTENTION

From: Director, FBI

[REDACTED]
INFORMATION CONCERNING

Enclosed for your information are copies of self-explanatory airtels received from SAC, Cincinnati dated 10-20-66 and 10-22-66. For your additional information, instructions have been issued to SAC, Cincinnati to contact [REDACTED] and advise him that there was obviously some misunderstanding on his part since the allegations set forth in referenced airtel of 10-20-66 are completely without basis.

Bureau files disclose that in the past you have been cautioned to be most circumspect in any contacts with [REDACTED] (see your file 100-6267). However, in view of the information set forth in referenced airtel of 10-22-66 it is believed necessary that these instructions be reiterated at this time. Moreover, you should also make certain that pertinent employees of your office are again advised of these instructions and particularly those Agents assigned to the Santa Ana Resident Agency which covers the area of [REDACTED] employment and residence.

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Based on memo Adams to Callahan, 10-25-66, HNB:mfl.

NOTE: Bufiles indicate we have had considerable correspondence with [REDACTED] in the past. [REDACTED] of the Americanism Educational League and Educational Director of the California Free Enterprise Association. Assistant Director Sullivan has described [REDACTED] in the past as undoubtedly sincere but far too suspicious of people. Further, that [REDACTED] is not the type of person with whom the Bureau should have a close relationship because he cannot be relied upon for accuracy. We have ignored [REDACTED] request to be placed on the mailing list.

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TO DIRECTOR - ATTENTION INSPECTOR WILLIAM S. HYDE,
MR. MOHR'S OFFICE
FROM CINCINNATI 67-956

WESLEY G. GRAPP, SPECIAL AGENT IN CHARGE LOS ANGELES DIVISION

RE CINCINNATI AIRTEL OCTOBER TWENTY LAST.

INTERVIEWS OCTOBER TWENTY ONE LAST WITH ORIGINAL SOURCE
OF ALLEGATION, NAMELY [REDACTED], AS WELL AS
[REDACTED] AND HIS WIFE, [REDACTED] DETERMINED
THAT ALLEGATION IS BASELESS. NEITHER OF [REDACTED] KNOW MR.
GRAPP OR IN FACT, ANY FBI AGENT.

DETAILED AIRTEL FOLLOWS.

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MR. MOHR FOR THE DIRECTOR

cc - Mr. Callahan - Mr. Hyde

October 27, 1966

PERSONAL ATTENTION

Mr. Wesley G. Grapp
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Los Angeles, California

Dear Mr. Grapp:

After reviewing the results of the recent inspection of the Los Angeles Office, I have approved the following ratings for the various phases of your operations: Administrative Operations - Fair; Physical Condition and Maintenance, Investigative Operations and Personnel Matters - Very Good; Applicant Recruitment Matters and Contacts - Excellent.

Your headquarters city office space was found to be conveniently located, secure, and generally well maintained. You must impress the need for good housekeeping practices upon all employees and correct the minor deficiencies noted during the inspection. Although well arranged for the existing space, the inspection disclosed your office to be crowded, particularly in service areas. The possibilities for additional space explored during the inspection are being considered. You will be advised as to the decision reached.

Your Resident Agencies were found secure and satisfactorily maintained. You should continue to impress all Resident Agents with the importance of proper maintenance of their space.

No safety defects were noted in the automobiles inspected. However, I was disappointed to learn that an Agent would allow a Bureau automobile to go without an oil change for over ten thousand miles. I will expect you to insure that internal administrative checks preclude any such neglect in the future.

The results of the additional automobile utilization survey ordered by the Assistant Director should be furnished to the Bureau promptly upon its completion with your recommendation as to whether your automotive fleet can be reduced. You should also ascertain promptly the estimated costs of

1 - Mr. Callahan (Attention Mr. J. B. Adams) (With Enclosure)

1 - SOG Inspection File Los Angeles Office

1 - Personnel File Wesley G. Grapp

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Mr. Wesley G. Crapp

removing excess exhaust fumes from the basement garage and furnish this information to the Bureau with a recommendation as to the method to be adopted.

Your delinquency in investigative matters has exceeded the field average for a prolonged period. Attack this problem with force and ingenuity to bring about a reduction.

It is heartening to note you have corrected the serious downward trend in fines, savings and recoveries since the last inspection and are up in this category at the end of the first quarter of fiscal year 1967. However, your fine record in convictions during the last fiscal year has not been continued and I was most disappointed to learn that your office had a five percent deficiency in this statistical category. This area of prime importance must be given your personal attention and coordinated and aggressive effort must be exerted to fully measure up to your potential in statistical accomplishments. I will expect continued improvement until a favorable record is again achieved.

I was pleased that your bank robbery solution rate had improved since the last inspection. However, I am appalled by the alarming number of pending unsolved matters. You will be expected to make significant additional improvement in this most undesirable situation. Closely follow the instructions and suggestions of the Assistant Director. The solution of two cases which occurred at the conclusion of the inspection and which may clear fourteen additional unsolved robberies is a step in the right direction.

The progress you have made in identifying additional La Cosa Nostra members and the increased number of indictments obtained in interstate gambling cases should be incentives to even greater accomplishments in these fields. I was pleased to note that the quality and number of your top-echelon informants have improved. Continue to emphasize the need for more La Cosa Nostra member informants. Your over-all Criminal Intelligence and Interstate Gambling Programs were rated very good.

The Criminal Informant Program in your office was also rated very good. I was pleased with the substantial increase in the number of potential criminal informants. Insure specific assignments are given these individuals.

Although the racial situation in your area is temporarily calm, a tense and explosive situation still exists and a major riot could erupt as a result of a minor incident. You have substantially increased your liaison sources.

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Mr. Wesley G. Grapp

however, expanded coverage is still necessary to insure you are aware of all possible developments in advance.

Your Security Informant Program was rated very good. I was pleased to learn that quality informants of your office afforded excellent coverage of the recent National Convention of the Communist Party in New York City. The decrease in security informants, potential security informants and informants within the Communist Party makes it essential for you to take aggressive steps to curtail this unfavorable trend. A ready reservoir of potential sources must be maintained. It is obvious that the effectiveness of your coverage will suffer if remedial action is not instituted immediately. You have one of the most volatile "New Left" contingents in the country. Your coverage in this field must be broadened so that you may stay abreast of any activities within our jurisdiction.

During the inspection, eight substantive errors were detected. This number is quite significant in view of the short period which had elapsed since the last inspection. It is obvious that tighter supervisory controls are needed to forestall similar derelictions in the future.

It was encouraging that only one deadline was missed in civil rights investigations but missed deadlines in fugitive cases were above the field average and must be reduced.

I was disappointed to learn that your office was not preparing interview logs in all instances where required. You will be expected to take whatever action is necessary to insure that all Agents comply with their responsibilities in this regard. This same deficiency should not be detected during future inspections.

Your Chief Clerk's Office was found in general to be functioning effectively. A noteworthy reduction in project work has been accomplished since the last inspection. However, the percentage of misfiled index cards was slightly higher than during the past inspection. This trend must be reversed.

The production of your stenographers and typists must be improved. It is understandable that there are certain problems inherent in the training of new employees who may not for a time meet the production levels of more experienced employees. Nevertheless, your stenographic production during the inspection was not only below the average for offices of comparable size, which have similar problems with new employees, but had decreased

from the previous inspection. You must require a renewed emphasis on training and closely follow the stenographic pool supervisory realignment to insure it results in increased efficiency. The two new stenographers who failed the stenographic examination during the inspection must be afforded dictation experience and then given a further examination. The results should be forwarded to the Bureau with your recommendations.

The amount of time spent in the office by Agents at Los Angeles continues to be high and reduction should be a real test of your administrative ability.

I note that you are not requesting additional Agent personnel at this time in view of the heavy demands on the Bureau in other areas. This is an admirable spirit and you should inculcate this idea in your personnel to insure that we meet and fully discharge our responsibilities despite the ever-increasing work load.

The number of missed deadlines in applicant investigations increased since the previous inspection; and, while still below the field average, will be a cause for concern if this situation is allowed to continue.

Mr. Wesley G. Grapp

The Assistant Director reported that you and your staff are well aware of the importance of maintaining good relations with the public. Your [] [] program was found to be vigorous and of value to the office. You should continue to introduce the Assistant Special Agent in Charge to [] [] as rapidly as circumstances will permit.

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The increase in public appearances is noteworthy. Your use of radio and television indicates an awareness of the value of these media and an ability to place Bureau material on them even in an area such as Los Angeles, where program time is at a premium.

I was pleased to note that your police training and National Academy programs are being operated in an effective manner.

The favorable comments concerning the FBI received by the Inspection Staff from officials and others in your territory are most gratifying and indicate that a favorable image of our organization is being sustained by your office.

You and your Assistant Special Agent in Charge must carefully study the inspection findings and inform the Bureau within thirty days of the receipt of this letter regarding corrective action taken.

Very truly yours,

John Edgar Hoover
Director

NOTE: Based on memo W. M. Felt to Mr. Tolson captioned, "Inspection - Los Angeles Office, Assistant Director W. Mark Felt, September 26 - October 13, 1966," dated 10/27/66, WMF:bhg.

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MR. TOLSON

October 27, 1966

W. M. FELT

INSPECTION - LOS ANGELES OFFICE
ASSISTANT DIRECTOR W. MARK FELT
SEPTEMBER 26 - OCTOBER 13, 1966

SUMMARY

Officials: Wesley G. Grapp, SAC since 3/1/64. [REDACTED] ASAC since 12/17/65. Last inspection: 5/16 - 6/8/66. b6 b7C

Physical Condition and Maintenance - Very Good (Last Inspection - Excellent). Office conveniently located in separate building near downtown Los Angeles. Space secure, generally well maintained and well organized but crowded - service elements at capacity (analysis and recommendation re space submitted separately). Minor housekeeping delinquencies ordered corrected. Resident Agencies secure and satisfactorily maintained. No safety defects in cars inspected. One car had no oil change for over 10,000 miles (handled separately). Auto fleet appeared excessive, additional utilization survey ordered subsequent to heavy vacation period. Exhaust fumes in basement garage require correction. Auto repair and operating costs above average. One unlisted telephone line found unnecessary, ordered removed.

Investigative Operations - Very Good (Last Inspection - Good). Case load 9/30/66, 3250 (7570 active), down from 3602 (7362 active) last inspection but up from 7552 (6891 active) year ago. Delinquency 9/30/66, 7.0% - down from last inspection but above field average past year - further reduction ordered. Average case load approximates field average, case closings slightly below, both down slightly since last inspection. Statistical accomplishments fiscal year 1966 up in 3 categories, down 66% in fines, savings and recoveries. First 3 months fiscal year 1967, up in 3 categories, down 5% in convictions, improved from down 14% first 2 months. 57 of 97 new bank robbery matters solved, solution rate 58.8% (improved considerably since last inspection). 259 cases pending unsolved, up from 247 last inspection. Further improvement in solutions necessary, specific instructions and suggestions given - subjects arrested conclusion of inspection believed responsible 14 additional robberies. Criminal Intelligence and Interstate Gambling Programs rated very good. La Cosa Nostra "member" identifications increased. Gambling indictments up. Top echelon coverage improved. Criminal Informant Program rated very good, quality and accomplishments up, informants down slightly. Racial situation temporarily calm with only minor sporadic outbreaks, potential for violence high. Office alert to problem and racial coverage increased. Second largest Communist

Enclosure

1 - Mr. Callahan (Attention Mr. J. E. Adams) (Sent Separately)

1 - Personnel Files Wesley G. Grapp and [REDACTED]

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Memorandum to Mr. Tolson
Re: Inspection - Los Angeles Office

Party in U. S. Security Informant Program rated very good but number of informants decreased. Office following activity of "New Left" militants. Two major espionage cases receiving close attention. Detailed analysis of two technical surveillances as to cost, productivity and necessity indicates continuation justified. Undesirable trend in failure to prepare interview logs ordered corrected. 8 substantive errors detected, below average. Missed fugitive deadlines above field average. Only one civil rights deadline missed.

Administrative Operations - Fair (Last Inspection - Good). Los Angeles 15-desk office - justified, work load equitably distributed. SAC instructed follow rising case load on Selective Service desk. Chief Clerk's Office functioning effectively. Backlog of project work reduced. Misfiled index cards up slightly from last inspection but substantially below field average. Errors of form slightly above field average and up from last inspection. Stenographic and typing production below average and last inspection. Office instructed re-emphasize training. Recent decentralization of supervision in stenographic pool should increase efficiency. Retypes below average and no delinquency reported. Errors in Number 3 (Locator) Cards down, errors in Daily Reports up from last inspection, none affected fringe. Discrepancies detected in Number 1 Register entries, Daily Reports, Number 3 Cards and Car Register entries of 1 Agent. 6 employees handling telephonic signing of Number 1 Register for this Agent failed to initial entries. Stringent control ordered (administrative action handled separately). Administrative controls on records checks tightened to eliminate premature checks of Baltimore Confidential Source 4. One odd-hour shift with no incumbent ordered discontinued. Travel, per diem and communications costs up, due increase in Agent personnel, economy stressed. Time in office below offices of comparable size.

Personnel Matters - Very Good (Last Inspection - Fair). Personnel Complement 9/23/66, 528 (315 Agents, 213 Clerks - last inspection 307 Agents, 197 clerks). SAC not requesting additional Agents at this time due to heavy over-all Bureau work load. Quotas of 316 Agents and 214 clerks (clerk-Agent ratio 67.7%) authorized following last inspection found by Assistant Director to be still adequate to discharge current responsibilities. Establishment of Sacramento Office will absorb 10 Resident Agents in 4 Resident Agencies. 6 pending requests for clerical replacements found justified. Two new stenographers not yet on dictation assignments failed stenographic test. SAC instructed afford dictation experience for 30 days and retest. No overweight Agents. 2 Agents on limited duty, productive and continuation in current assignments justified. 2 Agents unavailable - justified. 3 Agents on probation (handled separately). Morale appears excellent. Voluntary overtime found necessary and equitably shared.

Applicant Recruitment Matters - Excellent (Last Inspection - Good). All logical sources of applicants being contacted. During 4 months preceding inspection 27 Special Agent applicants recommended favorably, 7 entered on duty and 6 appointments outstanding for future classes. Los Angeles is nonquota clerical office.

Memorandum to Mr. Tolson
Re: Inspection - Los Angeles Office

Since 6/1/66, 5 clerks recruited for Bureau and 48 for Los Angeles. No Negro Agent or clerks for Seat of Government recruited since 1/1/66, one minority group member recruited for Los Angeles since last inspection. Continued emphasis on applicant recruiting instructed. Missed applicant deadlines up from last inspection but below field average.

Contacts - Excellent (Last Inspection - Excellent). [redacted] last inspection) furnish variety of valuable services. All known to and [redacted] developed by current SAC. Public appearances first 8 months 1966 exceed entire 1965. Extensive use of radio and television. Fugitive publicity receiving wide dissemination. Relations with news media generally favorable. SAC has done exceptional job in placing Bureau material on radio and television in Los Angeles, a headquarters area for major networks where program time at a premium. National Academy, liaison and police training programs operating effectively. Individuals contacted indicated FBI enjoys favorable image in Los Angeles area.

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RECOMMENDATIONS

1. Wesley G. Grapp, SAC since 3/1/64, GS-18 @ \$25,890, veteran, not on probation, 5th office as SAC, rated Satisfactory 1966 annual rating. Makes substantial appearance, has aggressive personality, is firm administrator, has excellent knowledge of Bureau policies and procedures and is experienced, self-confident Bureau official. Has over-all supervision of security cases in which 3 substantive errors detected, SAC not culpable. Has over-all responsibility for failure to adequately indoctrinate employees in proper handling of telephonic entries on office registers, for which he should be censured (copy of administrative write-up attached). Continue as SAC. If approved, attached letter will advise him of inspection findings and of censure.

2. [redacted] ASAC since 12/17/65, GS-15 @ \$18,157, veteran, not on probation, 2nd office as ASAC, rated Excellent 1966 annual rating. Makes excellent appearance; is enthusiastic, interested and hard working; assumes full share of office administrative responsibilities. Has over-all supervisory responsibility for criminal cases in which 5 substantive errors detected, ASAC not culpable. Functioning effectively but will benefit from additional experience as ASAC in current assignment. Continue as ASAC. If approved, attached letter to SAC will also advise [redacted] of inspection findings.

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Memorandum to Mr. Tolson
Re: Inspection - Los Angeles Office

3. Recommendations as to other personnel handled separately.

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SAC, Cincinnati

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Director, FBI

PERSONAL ATTENTION

SAC WESLEY G. GRAPP
LOS ANGELES OFFICE

Reurairtels 10-20-66 and 10-22-66 regarding certain allegations made against the above employee. In view of the information developed by you, [redacted] should be contacted and tactfully advised that apparently there was [redacted] since it has been determined that there is no substance whatsoever regarding the allegations made against SAC Grapp.

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WESLEY G. GRAPP
November 9, 1966

Mr. Tolson	✓
Mr. DeLoach	✓
Mr. Mohr	✓
Mr. Wick	✓
Mr. Casper	✓
Mr. Callahan	✓
Mr. Conrad	✓
Mr. Felt	✓
Mr. Gale	✓
Mr. Rosen	✓
Mr. Sullivan	✓
Mr. Tavel	✓
Mr. Trotter	✓
Tele. Room	✓
Miss Holmes	✓
Miss Gandy	✓

Personal

Mr. J. Edgar Hoover
Director
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Hoover:

Your letter of congratulations
on my twentieth anniversary in the FBI
is sincerely appreciated.

The kind and generous comments
expressed by you are truly rewarding and
will serve as an inspiration in the future.
It is my ambition to continue to serve you
and the Bureau for many years to come.

With warm personal regards,

Sincerely,

Wesley Grapp

Wesley Grapp

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November 21, 1966

PERSONAL

Mr. Wesley G. Grapp
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Los Angeles, California

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Dear Grapp:

It is a pleasure to commend you
for the exceptional fashion in which the
Espionage investigation involving [redacted]
[redacted] was handled in the
Los Angeles Division.

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You were very alert and decisive
in your over-all supervision and guidance of
this sensitive case and I want you to know I
am most appreciative.

Sincerely,

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L. Edgar Hoover

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Based on memo Adams-Callahan 11/14/66 re: CIPCRY: Espionage -
Russia. Incentive Award and Commendation Matter.

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REPORT OF MEDICAL EXAMINATION

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1. LAST NAME—FIRST NAME—MIDDLE NAME GRAPP, WESLEY G.		2. GRADE AND COMPONENT OR POSITION SPECIAL AGENT IN CHARGE		3. IDENTIFICATION NO. ***	
4. HOME ADDRESS (Number, street or RFD, city or town, zone and State) 4800 Abbeyville Avenue Woodland Hills, California		5. PURPOSE OF EXAMINATION ANNUAL PHYSICAL		6. DATE OF EXAMINATION 23 Nov 66	
7. SEX Male	8. RACE Cauc	9. TOTAL YEARS GOVERNMENT SERVICE MILITARY 0 CIVILIAN 20		10. AGENCY FBI	11. ORGANIZATION UNIT ***
12. DATE OF BIRTH 10/19/18		13. PLACE OF BIRTH Aberdeen, South Dakota		14. NAME, RELATIONSHIP, AND ADDRESS OF NEXT OF KIN Wife - Carolyn K. Grapp Same as #4	
15. EXAMINING FACILITY OR EXAMINER, AND ADDRESS U. S. VA Hospital, Long Beach, Calif.				16. OTHER INFORMATION ***	
17. RATING OR SPECIALTY				TIME IN THIS CAPACITY (Total) LAST SIX MONTHS	

CLINICAL EVALUATION		
NOR- MAL	(Check each item in appropriate column; enter "NE" if not evaluated.)	ABNOR- MAL
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	18. HEAD, FACE, NECK, AND SCALP	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	19. NOSE	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	20. SINUSES	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	21. MOUTH AND THROAT	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	22. EARS—GENERAL (Int. & ext. canals) (Auditory acuity under items 70 and 71)	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	23. DRUMS (Perforation)	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	24. EYES—GENERAL (Visual acuity and refraction under items 59, 60 and 67)	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	25. OPHTHALMOSCOPIC	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	26. PUPILS (Equality and reaction)	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	27. OCULAR MOTILITY (Associated parallel movements, nystagmus)	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	28. LUNGS AND CHEST (Include breasts)	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	29. HEART (Thrust, size, rhythm, sounds)	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	30. VASCULAR SYSTEM (Varicosities, etc.)	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	31. ABDOMEN AND VISCERA (Include hernia)	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	32. ANUS AND RECTUM (Hemorrhoids, fistulae) (Prostate, if indicated)	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	33. ENDOCRINE SYSTEM	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	34. G-U SYSTEM	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	35. UPPER EXTREMITIES (Strength, range of motion)	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	36. FEET	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	37. LOWER EXTREMITIES (Except feet) (Strength, range of motion)	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	38. SPINE, OTHER MUSCULOSKELETAL	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	39. IDENTIFYING BODY MARKS, SCARS, TATTOOS	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	40. SKIN, LYMPHATICS	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	41. NEUROLOGIC (Equilibrium tests under item 72)	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	42. PSYCHIATRIC (Specify any personality deviation)	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	43. PELVIC (Females only) (Check how done)	
	<input type="checkbox"/> VAGINAL <input type="checkbox"/> RECTAL	

NOTES. (Describe every abnormality in detail. Enter pertinent item number before each comment. Continue in item 73 and use additional sheets if necessary.)

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44. DENTAL (Place appropriate symbols above or below number of upper and lower teeth, respectively.)																REMARKS AND ADDITIONAL DENTAL DEFECTS AND DISEASES Adequate	
O—Restorable teeth /—Nonrestorable teeth X—Missing teeth XXX—Replaced by dentures (6 X 8)—Fixed bridge, brackets to include abutments																	
R I G H T	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	L E F T
	32	31	30	29	28	27	26	25	24	23	22	21	20	19	18	17	

LABORATORY FINDINGS

45. URINALYSIS: A. SPECIFIC GRAVITY 1.016		46. CHEST X-RAY (Place, date, film number and result) VAH, Long Beach, Calif. 11/22/66 #184 208 -Normal	
B. ALBUMIN	D. MICROSCOPIC occ WBC, Tr amorph		
C. SUGAR			
47. SEROLOGY (Specify test used and result) V.D.R.L. nonreactive	48. EKG Normal	49. BLOOD TYPE AND RH FACTOR **	50. OTHER TESTS W.B.C. 7100, Neutrophils 60 Lymphocytes 34, Monocytes 3, Eosinophiles 3 Hematocrit 45, Hemoglobin 15.0

MEASUREMENTS AND OTHER FINDINGS 2011-2012

73. NOTES (Continued) AND SIGNIFICANT OR INTERVAL HISTORY

(Use additional sheets if necessary)

75. RECOMMENDATIONS—FURTHER SPECIALIST EXAMINATIONS INDICATED (*Specify*)

77. EXAMINEE (Check)

full duty

78. IF NOT QUALIFIED, LIST DISQUALIFYING DEFECTS BY ITEM NUMBER

76.	A. PHYSICAL PROFILE
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P	U	L	H	E	S
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B. PHYSICAL CATEGORY

A	B	C	D	E

79. TYPED OR PRINTED NAME OF PHYSICIAN

THOMAS G. LUPARELLO, M.D.

SIGNATURE

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80. TYPED OR PRINTED NAME OF PHYSICIAN

81. TYPED OR PRINTED NAME OF DENTIST OR PHYSICIAN (*Indicate which*)

SIGNATURE

A. B. McDonald D.D.S.

SIGNATURE

82. TYPED OR PRINTED NAME OF REVIEWING OFFICER OR APPROVING AUTHORITY

NUMBER OF ATTACHED SHEETS

REPORT OF MEDICAL HISTORY

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15. EXAMINING FACILITY OR EXAMINER, AND ADDRESS U. S. VA Hospital, Long Beach, Calif.				16. OTHER INFORMATION ***	
17. STATEMENT OF EXAMINEE'S PRESENT HEALTH IN OWN WORDS. (Follow by description of past history, if complaint exists)					

Excellent

18. FAMILY HISTORY					19. HAS ANY BLOOD RELATION (Parent, brother, sister, other) OR HUSBAND OR WIFE:			
RELATION	AGE	STATE OF HEALTH	IF DEAD, CAUSE OF DEATH	AGE AT DEATH	YES	NO	(Check each item)	RELATION(S)
FATHER		deceased	heart attack	74		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	HAD TUBERCULOSIS	
MOTHER	78	good				<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	HAD SYPHILIS	
SPOUSE	48	"				<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	HAD DIABETES	
BROTHERS	54	"				<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	HAD CANCER	
AND	52	"				<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	HAD KIDNEY TROUBLE	
SISTERS	50	"				<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	HAD HEART TROUBLE	
						<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	HAD STOMACH TROUBLE	
CHILDREN	6	"				<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	HAD RHEUMATISM (Arthritis)	
	19	"				<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	HAD ASTHMA, HAY FEVER, HIVES	
	18	"				<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	HAD EPILEPSY (Fits)	
	8	"				<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	COMMITTED SUICIDE	
						<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	BEEN INSANE	

20. HAVE YOU EVER HAD OR HAVE YOU NOW (Place check at left of each item)

YES	NO	(Check each item)	YES	NO	(Check each item)	YES	NO	(Check each item)	YES	NO	(Check each item)
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	SCARLET FEVER, ERYSIPELAS		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	GOITER	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		TUMOR, GROWTH, CYST, CANCER	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		"TRICK" OR LOCKED KNEE
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	DIPHTHERIA		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	TUBERCULOSIS	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		RUPTURE	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		FOOT TROUBLE
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	RHEUMATIC FEVER		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	SOAKING SWEATS (Night sweats)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		APPENDICITIS	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		NEURITIS
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	SWOLLEN OR PAINFUL JOINTS		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	ASTHMA	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		PILES OR RECTAL DISEASE	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		PARALYSIS (Inc. infantile)
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		MUMPS		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	SHORTNESS OF BREATH	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		FREQUENT OR PAINFUL URINATION	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		EPILEPSY OR FITS
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	WHOOPING COUGH		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	PAIN OR PRESSURE IN CHEST	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		KIDNEY STONE OR BLOOD IN URINE	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		CAR, TRAIN, SEA, OR AIR SICKNESS
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	FREQUENT OR SEVERE HEADACHE		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	CHRONIC COUGH	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		SUGAR OR ALBUMIN IN URINE	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		FREQUENT TROUBLE SLEEPING
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	DIZZINESS OR FAINTING SPELLS		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	PALPITATION OR POUNDING HEART	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		BOILS	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		FREQUENT OR TERRIFYING NIGHTMARES
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	EYE TROUBLE		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	HIGH OR LOW BLOOD PRESSURE	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		VENEREAL DISEASE	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		DEPRESSION OR EXCESSIVE WORRY
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	EAR, NOSE OR THROAT TROUBLE		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	CRAMPS IN YOUR LEGS	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		RECENT GAIN OR LOSS OF WEIGHT	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		LOSS OF MEMORY OR AMNESIA
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	RUNNING EARS		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	FREQUENT INDIGESTION	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		ARTHRITIS OR RHEUMATISM	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		BED WETTING
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	CHRONIC OR FREQUENT COLDS		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	STOMACH, LIVER OR INTESTINAL TROUBLE	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		BONE, JOINT, OR OTHER DEFORMITY	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		NERVOUS TROUBLE OF ANY SORT
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	SEVERE TOOTH OR GUM TROUBLE		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	GALL BLADDER TROUBLE OR GALL STONES	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		LAMENESS	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		ANY DRUG OR NARCOTIC HABIT
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	SINUSITIS		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	JAUNDICE	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		LOSS OF ARM, LEG, FINGER, OR TOE	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		EXCESSIVE DRINKING HABIT
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	HAY FEVER		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	ANY REACTION TO SERUM, DRUG OR MEDICINE	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		PAINFUL OR "TRICK" SHOULDER OR ELBOW	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		HOMOSEXUAL TENDENCIES

21. HAVE YOU EVER (Check each item)

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	WORN GLASSES	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	ATTEMPTED SUICIDE
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	WORN AN ARTIFICIAL EYE	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	BEEN A SLEEP WALKER
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	WORN HEARING AIDS	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	LIVED WITH ANYONE WHO HAD TUBERCULOSIS
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	STUTTERED OR STAMMERED	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	COUGHED UP BLOOD
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	WORN A BRACE OR BACK SUPPORT	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	bled excessively AFTER INJURY OR TOOTH EXTRACTION

22. FEMALES ONLY: A. HAVE YOU EVER—

	BEEN PREGNANT		AGE AT ONSET OF MENSTRUATION
	HAD A VAGINAL DISCHARGE		INTERVAL BETWEEN PERIODS
	BEEN TREATED FOR A FEMALE DISORDER		DURATION OF PERIODS
	HAD PAINFUL MENSTRUATION		DATE OF LAST PERIOD
	HAD IRREGULAR MENSTRUATION	QUANTITY: <input type="checkbox"/> NORMAL <input type="checkbox"/> EXCESSIVE <input type="checkbox"/> SCANTY	

23. HOW MANY JOBS HAVE YOU HAD IN THE PAST THREE YEARS?

One

24. WHAT IS THE LONGEST PERIOD YOU HELD ANY OF THESE JOBS?

20 years

25. WHAT IS YOUR USUAL OCCUPATION?

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26. ARE YOU (Check one)

☒ RIGHT HANDED ☐ LEFT HANDED

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YES	NO	CHECK EACH ITEM YES OR NO. EVERY ITEM CHECKED "YES" MUST BE FULLY EXPLAINED IN BLANK SPACE ON RIGHT
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	27. HAVE YOU BEEN UNABLE TO HOLD A JOB BECAUSE OF: A. SENSITIVITY TO CHEMICALS, DUST, SUNLIGHT, ETC.
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	B. INABILITY TO PERFORM CERTAIN MOTIONS
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	C. INABILITY TO ASSUME CERTAIN POSITIONS
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	D. OTHER MEDICAL REASONS (If yes, give reasons)
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	28. HAVE YOU EVER WORKED WITH RADIOACTIVE SUBSTANCE?
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	29. DID YOU HAVE DIFFICULTY WITH SCHOOL STUDIES OR TEACHERS? (If yes, give details)
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	30. HAVE YOU EVER BEEN REFUSED EMPLOYMENT BECAUSE OF YOUR HEALTH? (If yes, state reason and give details)
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	31. HAVE YOU EVER BEEN DENIED LIFE INSURANCE? (If yes, state reason and give details)
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		32. HAVE YOU HAD, OR HAVE YOU BEEN ADVISED TO HAVE, ANY OPERATIONS? (If yes, describe and give age at which occurred)
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	33. HAVE YOU EVER BEEN A PATIENT (committed or voluntary) IN A MENTAL HOSPITAL OR SANATORIUM? (If yes, specify when, where, why, and name of doctor, and complete address of hospital or clinic)
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	34. HAVE YOU EVER HAD ANY ILLNESS OR INJURY OTHER THAN THOSE ALREADY NOTED? (If yes, specify when, where, and give details)
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		35. HAVE YOU CONSULTED OR BEEN TREATED BY CLINICS, PHYSICIANS, HEALERS, OR OTHER PRACTITIONERS WITHIN THE PAST 5 YEARS? (If yes, give complete address of doctor, hospital, clinic, and details)
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	36. HAVE YOU TREATED YOURSELF FOR ILLNESSES OTHER THAN MINOR COLDS? (If yes, which illnesses)
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	37. HAVE YOU EVER BEEN REJECTED FOR MILITARY SERVICE BECAUSE OF PHYSICAL, MENTAL, OR OTHER REASONS? (If yes, give date and reason for rejection)
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	38. HAVE YOU EVER BEEN DISCHARGED FROM MILITARY SERVICE BECAUSE OF PHYSICAL, MENTAL, OR OTHER REASONS? (If yes, give date, reason, and type of discharge: whether honorable, other than honorable, for unfitness or unsuitability)
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	39. HAVE YOU EVER RECEIVED, IS THERE PENDING, HAVE YOU APPLIED FOR, OR DO YOU INTEND TO APPLY FOR PENSION OR COMPENSATION FOR EXISTING DISABILITY? (If yes, specify what kind, granted by whom, and what amount, when, why)

Lipoma right arm - 1964

As above - St. Vincent's Hospital
Los Angeles, California

I CERTIFY THAT I HAVE REVIEWED THE FOREGOING INFORMATION SUPPLIED BY ME AND THAT IT IS TRUE AND COMPLETE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE.
I AUTHORIZE ANY OF THE DOCTORS, HOSPITALS, OR CLINICS MENTIONED ABOVE TO FURNISH THE GOVERNMENT A COMPLETE TRANSCRIPT OF MY MEDICAL RECORD FOR PURPOSES OF PROCESSING MY APPLICATION FOR THIS EMPLOYMENT OR SERVICE.

TYPED OR PRINTED NAME OF EXAMINEE

SIGNATURE

WESLEY G. GRAPP

Wesley G. Grapp

40. PHYSICIAN'S SUMMARY AND ELABORATION OF ALL PERTINENT DATA (Physician shall comment on all positive answers in items 20 thru 39)

none

TYPED OR PRINTED NAME OF PHYSICIAN OR EXAMINER THOMAS, G. LUPARELLO, M.D.	DATE 22 Nov 64	SIGNATURE <i>Thomas G. Luparello</i>	NUMBER OF ATTACHED SHEETS
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**Attachment to Standard Form 88, Report of Medical Examination
For Information and Guidance of Medical Examiner**

Name of Examinee GRAPP, WESLEY G.
(Type or print) Last First Middle

The following portions of the attached examination report form need not be completed:

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46. Is necessary unless facilities for affording same are not readily available.
48. Not required unless examinee is over 35 years of age or examination indicates such is desirable.
49. Is necessary unless facilities for affording same are not readily available.
71. Audiometer examinations should be afforded whenever possible for all Special Agent applicants and Special Agents. Applicants for the Special Agent position will not be accepted if the hearing loss exceeds a 15 decibel average in either ear in the conversational speech range (500, 1000, 2000 cycles).

For All Examinees, Whether Clerical or Special Agent Applicants or Employees:

The medical examiner should answer the following question:

Examinee ☒ is ☐ is not qualified for strenuous physical exertion.

To be Answered in the Case of All Male Employees and Male Applicants:

1. Does examinee have any defects restricting or prohibiting his participation in defensive tactics and dangerous assignments which might entail the practical use of firearms?

☒ No ☐ Yes If "yes" please specify defects. _____

2. Does examinee have any defects prohibiting safe operation of motor vehicles?

☒ No ☐ Yes If "yes" please specify defects. _____

3. For safe driving of motor vehicles, Civil Service Commission requires distant vision must test at least 20/40 in one eye and 20/100 in the other, corrected or uncorrected. Should examinee wear corrective glasses while operating a motor vehicle? ☐ Yes ☒ No
If recommendation is based on a factor other than above standard, indicate basis _____

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Desirable Weight Ranges for Males

Height	Small Frame	Medium Frame	Large Frame
5' 4"	117 - 125	123 - 135	131 - 148
5' 5"	120 - 129	126 - 139	134 - 152
5' 6"	124 - 133	130 - 143	138 - 157
5' 7"	128 - 137	134 - 148	143 - 162
5' 8"	132 - 141	138 - 152	147 - 166
5' 9"	136 - 146	142 - 156	151 - 170
5' 10"	140 - 150	146 - 161	155 - 175
5' 11"	144 - 154	150 - 166	160 - 180
6'	148 - 158	154 - 171	164 - 185
6' 1"	152 - 163	158 - 176	169 - 190
6' 2"	156 - 167	163 - 181	174 - 195
6' 3"	160 - 171	168 - 186	178 - 200
6' 4"	169 - 180	178 - 196	188 - 210
6' 5"	174 - 185	182 - 202	192 - 216

4. Examinee's frame is ☐ small ☐ medium ☒ large
5. Considering above weight table, the examinee's frame, and other individual physical characteristics, I consider his present weight ☒ Satisfactory ☐ Excessive ☐ Deficient
6. Under proper medical supervision, examinee should ☐ lose 0 pounds
☐ gain 0 pounds

Remarks: None

Thomas G. Luparello, M.D.

(Signature of Medical Examiner)

THOMAS G. LUPARELLO, M.D.

22 Nov 66

(Date)

November 21, 1966

Mr. Wesley G. Grapp
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Los Angeles, California

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Dear Mr. Grapp:

I want to express my appreciation, through you, to the agents in the Los Angeles Division who performed so capably in connection with the investigation of the Espionage case involving [redacted]

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These men discharged their assignments with discretion and resourcefulness. The success achieved is attributable in no small measure to their productive team efforts and I am pleased to commend them.

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Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

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1 - SAC, Los Angeles (Personal Attention)

Bureau does not consider individual letters, as you recommended for surveillance agents, are warranted as this was a team effort. Place copy of this letter in their personnel files.

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1 - [redacted] (Sent Direct)

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Based on memo Adams-Callahan 11/14/66 re: CIPCRY: Espionage - Russia. Incentive Award and Commendation Matter.

MAIL ROOM ☐ TELETYPE UNIT ☐

Copies prepared and attached for placing in following files: OVER

November 25, 1966

Mr. Wesley G. Grapp
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Los Angeles, California

Dear Mr. Grapp:

It is a pleasure to commend, through you, personnel in the Los Angeles Division who participated in the investigation and apprehension of Top Ten Fugitive [redacted], the subject of an Unlawful Flight to Avoid Prosecution case, for their very fine work.

The results realized in the location and arrest of this dangerous fugitive can be ascribed in a large measure to the thorough, probing and determined manner in which they carried out their duties. Their efforts and effective teamwork were exemplary and I want you to convey my appreciation to them.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

1 - SAC, Los Angeles (Personal Attention)

Place a copy of this letter in files of personnel who participated in this matter but were not individually recognized.

1 - [redacted] (Sent Direct)

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Based on memo Eddy-Gale 11/22/66 re: [redacted]
Fugitive; Unlawful Flight-Armed Robbery Top Ten Fugitive.

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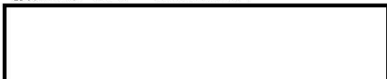
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Mr. Wesley G. Grapp

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Joseph C. Alston



Richard B. George
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Lester M. Ledbetter



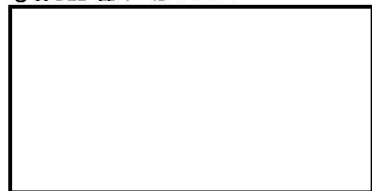
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George A Paine, Jr.
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Sam J. Shoemaker



Jack D. Suttle



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Mr. Wesley G. Grapp

John K. Anderson

[REDACTED]

Harry H. Whidbee,
J. G. Whittington, Jr.
Richard M. Woolf

[REDACTED]

Stanley E. Coupe
Joel E. Gullledge, Jr.

[REDACTED]

Joseph J. Ross, Jr.

[REDACTED]

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PEERS. REC. UNIT

December 12, 1966

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Mr. Wesley G. Grapp
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Los Angeles, California

Dear Grapp:

I read your letter of December 7th, and you have indeed handled very well the baseless allegations made against the FBI by [redacted] of the "Los Angeles Times."

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You may be certain the manner in which you defended this Bureau and the measures you undertook to insure that such an unfounded attack will not recur mean a great deal to me. These actions on your part reflect most creditably upon your ability to maintain this Bureau's position of pre-eminence in the field of law enforcement, and I would not want the occasion to pass without extending thanks.

Sincerely,

J. Edgar Hoover

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- 1 - Mr. Callahan - Enclosure
Attention Special Agent [redacted]
1 - Los Angeles Field Office Personnel File - Enclosure

NOTE: Mr. Grapp contacted the President and Editor of the "Los Angeles Times" regarding allegations against the FBI made by [redacted] in a speech before the Tenth Annual Treasury Enforcement Agencies Coordination Conference. He was successful in having [redacted] chastised for his attack upon the Bureau and having an individual friendly to the best interest of this Bureau appointed to handle any reporting pertaining to our activities.

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December 22, 1966

PERSONAL ATTENTION

Mr. Wesley G. Grapp
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Los Angeles, California

Dear Mr. Grapp:

According to Bureau records, Time Spent in Office (TIO) by Agents of the Los Angeles Division was 20.2 per cent in November. This is an increase over recent months and every effort should be made to achieve a reduction. As you have previously been advised, it will be your responsibility to insure that TIO is maintained at the lowest possible level, consistent with proper handling of official responsibilities.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

John Edgar Hoover
Director

- 1 - Inspection Division
1 - SOG, Los Angeles Field Office File

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NOTE: Letters written to SACs of offices where TIO for November, 1966, considered high...

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December 16, 1966

Mr. Wesley G. Grapp
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Los Angeles, California

Dear Mr. Grapp:

I am pleased to commend, through you, the agents in the Los Angeles Office who performed in such a fine fashion in the investigation of the Extortion case involving [redacted]

Everyone was very alert, persistent and aggressive in carrying out his individual duties and the initiative and teamwork demonstrated in this investigation contributed to the results achieved in the identification and apprehension of the subject. Please convey my appreciation to them for their effective efforts.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

1 - SAC, Los Angeles (Personal Attention)

Based on information submitted, Bureau has concluded that individual commendations for SAs Robert L. Hamilton and Robert Pettyjohn, as you recommended, are not warranted. Place a copy of this letter in their files, as well as in files of all other participants.

1 - [redacted] (Sent Direct)

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Based on Los Angeles letter 12/6/66 and addendum General Investigative Division 12/13/66 re: [redacted]

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Mr. Wesley G. Grapp

Joseph C. Alston



Robert L. Hamilton
Robert E. Kertin



John C. F. Loughney



Robert J. Pettyjohn



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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI

FROM : SAC, LOS ANGELES

SUBJECT:

Los Angeles Times
 ALLEGATIONS AGAINST FBI IN SPEECH
 9/22/66 AT AVALON, CALIFORNIA, BEFORE
 THE TENTH ANNUAL TREASURY ENFORCEMENT
 AGENCIES COORDINATION CONFERENCE

Mr. Tolson _____
 Mr. DeLoach _____
 Mr. Mohr _____
 Mr. Wick _____
 Mr. Casper _____
 Mr. Callahan _____
 Mr. Conrad _____
 Mr. Felt _____
 Mr. Gale _____
 Mr. Rosen _____
 Mr. Sullivan _____
 Mr. Tavel _____
 Mr. Trotter _____ b6
 Tele. Room _____ b7C
 Miss Holmes _____
 Miss Gandy _____

Re Los Angeles letter to Bureau dated 9/23/66, captioned as above, which set forth in detail allegations made by the above-captioned individual and my rebuttal to each and every one of them. In relet I stated it was my intention under the appropriate circumstances to discuss the atrocious allegations and unwarranted attack on the FBI by with his official superiors at the Los Angeles Times. It was also stated I intended to take up the disrespectful conduct of the Intelligence Officers of the Los Angeles Police Department, who are PARKER trained and loyal to his views concerning the FBI, at the appropriate time and under the appropriate circumstances with the Chief of Police and/or the Los Angeles Police Commission.

Approximately six months ago when Sheriff PETER J. PITCHESS made a protest to him, Mr. NORMAN CHANDLER, President of the Los Angeles Times, disclaimed any responsibility concerning the newspaper stating that he did not run it but that his son, OTIS, was the Publisher, and he dismissed PITCHESS' complaints. OTIS is regarded as a mental "light weight" and little has been accomplished by others in contacting him. It is to be noted he and ROBERT KENNEDY are close personal friends.

On 10/20/66, I was with NORMAN CHANDLER and others. The opportunity presented itself for me to talk to Mr. CHANDLER alone. At that time I inquired about his golf game and expressed surprise when he stated he had not played recently. He explained that he was so

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busy running the newspaper and the approximately 14 subsidiary companies of the Los Angeles Times Mirror Corporation that his time was at a premium. I discussed with Mr. CHANDLER in a general way his heavy work schedule, responsibilities, etc. I arranged such discussion to "set him up" so he could not disclaim at a later date responsibility or authority for actions by [] and the Los Angeles Times.

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On the evening of 11/15/66, I was in a group of prominent citizens in the community, which again included NORMAN CHANDLER. During the evening I spoke to him alone. I pointed out to him in detail the atrocious and preposterous allegations made against the FBI by his [] at Avalon, California.

CHANDLER appeared shocked. He stated he had never heard of such allegations, he had not heard of the incident, and certainly was not in agreement with them. He said he was an admirer of Mr. HOOVER whom he sees at the Banshee dinner in New York, is an ardent supporter of the FBI, and considers me a personal friend. He appeared distressed that such an incident would transpire. In as tactful a manner as possible, I pointed out to him that it was most unfortunate that his personal thoughts and ideas concerning the FBI and its personnel were not always reflected on a day-to-day basis in his newspaper. He told me he would take the matter up immediately with his []

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and desired that I also tell [] directly so he would get it firsthand as to exactly what transpired. CHANDLER appeared very disturbed about the entire situation and stated the Los Angeles Times wanted to be cooperative and friendly at all times. I thanked him and suggested in an appropriate and forceful manner that he let his subordinates know of his thoughts along these lines so that his newspaper would reflect his stated position.

On 11/23/66, I picked up [] of the Los Angeles Times, and the two of us had lunch alone. At that time I went over the entire matter with him with a diplomatic but positive approach. [] said that when the speech was made he, himself, was out

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of the city and he had not read the written speech of [] or heard of it until afterwards. He attempted to justify parts of it, and I rebutted each and every portion he took. b6 b7C

[] then attempted to protest that instead of my coming to him, I discussed the matter with his superior, NORMAN CHANDLER. He indicated that CHANDLER had severely castigated him following my discussion with Mr. CHANDLER several days earlier. I pointed out to [] that CHANDLER represented himself to be the President of the newspaper, he indicated to me that he still played a part in the management of it, and I at least showed much more courtesy than his subordinate had concerning the FBI. I at least took my thoughts to the source that was involved, the Los Angeles Times, and have not as yet castigated them before their cohorts in the newspaper industry. b6 b7C

He then wanted to know if there were any other criticisms other than the contents of the speech. I told him there were. I told him I objected vehemently, as would any reasonable man, to the forum at which it was presented and the "surprise" element involved. I told him that his subordinate did not have the common decency if he had a chip on his shoulder to mention it to any of the FBI's representatives ahead of time, but rather chose to launch a surprise attack without ever bothering to check his facts for accuracy, to determine the thoughts of the Bureau on the subject, or to attempt to resolve the apparent difference in viewpoint. I told him I objected vigorously to the making of such an unwarranted attack on the FBI at any time and particularly to a law enforcement gathering. I asked him the question as to how he would like it if I were the speaker at a State convention of editors or newspapermen and without warning and without basis in fact got up as the featured speaker and immediately castigated the Los Angeles Times and its key officials. He said it would make him mad and he would think very little of it. I told him he had an idea as to how I felt concerning his subordinate, [] attacking the FBI. [] stated the attack was nothing personal regarding me and it involved only the FBI and its policies. [] also attempted to disclaim any personal knowledge or responsibility. He was told in a positive manner that an attack on the Director or the FBI was also an attack on me as I was an integral part of the team and neither he nor anyone else could separate us. He was told that since he was [] he was personally responsible for his subordinates, including []. b6 b7C

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[] indicated the strong possibility that [] is still smarting from the handling of the newspaper during the investigative phase of the SINATRA kidnapping case. [] stated that he and [] feel there should be a close working relationship involving mutual trust, whereby the FBI would furnish the newspaper highly confidential information on various incidents, personages, activities, etc. in the community. He said they had such an arrangement with the Los Angeles Sheriff's Office, the Los Angeles Police Department, and with the Central Intelligence Agency. I told him he was a "dreamer" and pointed out why we could not and should not participate in any such activity. The very crux of the matter appears to involve the SINATRA case and the FBI's policy of not sharing our information with the newspaper.

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[] reminded me that when I was assigned to this Division as SAC in March, 1964, I had been in contact with him, at which time I vigorously protested the improper treatment of the FBI in the SINATRA case by his newspaper which had transpired just before my arrival. He called my attention to the fact that because of such strong protestations and his personal feelings in the matter that he had removed from the then current assignment three key officials of the newspaper including the then City Editor, because of the stories that were highly critical of the FBI. He offered this as proof of his sincerity. I told him I was not attempting to run his newspaper and what he did with the internal administration was his problem, but the paper should on a day-to-day basis reflect this alleged admiration and respect for the FBI. He agreed and added he would take the necessary steps.

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At the conclusion of the luncheon, [] assured me that he would do all possible to bring a close working relationship between the Los Angeles Times and the FBI. He also assured me there would never be another such criticism of the FBI. He assured me that he had great respect for the Director, for the FBI, and considered me a friend and asked me to join him at a social gathering. In a polite manner, I suggested that his newspaper should reflect in its actions on a day-to-day basis this philosophy to which he agreed.

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On Monday, 12/5/66, a Supervisor of this office was at the Los Angeles Times with a written news release, at which time he was stopped by [redacted] for the Times and former [redacted] to then Attorney General ROBERT KENNEDY. [redacted] referred to the recent article published by DREW PEARSON concerning the FBI having listened in on telephone conversations at the Dominican Republic Embassy in Washington, D. C. [redacted] stated the following information had been received from the Washington Bureau of the Los Angeles Times: [redacted] Washington Attorney, who is presently counsel for [redacted], apparently learned of this FBI wire tapping. [redacted] reportedly is fearful of losing his case and is apparently trying to confuse the issues. He allegedly approached the New York Times to publish this story and was turned down. Subsequently, he or his representative approached the Washington Post and that paper likewise declined to publish the material. Thereafter, [redacted] or someone else reportedly leaked the story to DREW PEARSON who published it in his column.

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Also on this date, 12/5/66, information was received that some of the responsibility for the "hard" news such as crime reporting, etc., that appears in the Los Angeles Times has been removed from the direct jurisdiction of [redacted] and currently is being delegated to [redacted], who has been friendly with this office and me. He stated he has been delegated to develop "a friendly relationship" with the FBI.

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The conduct of the Intelligence Officers of the Los Angeles Police Department has been appropriately discussed with the Acting Chief of Police [redacted]. In addition, it has been discussed individually with various members of the Los Angeles Police Commission. In addition, Mayor SAMUEL YORTY is aware of the pertinent facts. On an individual basis, each has agreed that the new Chief of Police to be chosen in January, 1967, will be questioned in detail, off the record so there will be no publicity,

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as to his desires for full and complete cooperation and a warm working relationship between the Los Angeles Police Department and the FBI. The new Chief must unequivocally favor such a relationship before getting such an appointment. At that time, he will be informed of the need for a change in the key members of the Intelligence Department, all of whom are PARKER men, and the fact they should be replaced.

As the Bureau is aware, Mr. HOOVER granted an interview on 10/7/66 to [redacted] of the Los Angeles Police Commission, and FRANK HATHAWAY, Police Commissioner. Mr. HOOVER, according to these two men, set forth his views pertaining to this matter in an appropriate manner and they are well aware of what the Bureau desires from the Los Angeles Police Department. These two men were deeply impressed with such an interview and have told numerous individuals in the community of their great respect and admiration for the Director personally and the FBI. They have also had the picture taken in Mr. HOOVER's office published in various magazines in the community so that it would reflect their desire to have a close working relationship between the Los Angeles Police Department and the Bureau. This interview with these two men by the Director has had excellent results.

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As can be seen from the above, all necessary corrective action has been taken concerning this entire matter, both with the Los Angeles Times and with the appropriate officials who are involved with the Los Angeles Police Department. I have been assured by [redacted] concerned there will never be a recurrence.

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Very well handled
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January 6, 1967

Mr. Wesley G. Grapp
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Los Angeles, California

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Dear Mr. Grapp:

It is a pleasure to commend, through you, Special Agents Joseph J. Ross, Jr., and [redacted] [redacted] for the splendid services they rendered in connection with an operation of interest to the FBI in the security field.

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Through their alert and resourceful performance, they insured the security of this sensitive undertaking. I want you to convey my appreciation to them for the dedication to duty they demonstrated in this matter.

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Sincerely yours, 188613-480
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J. Edgar Hoover

1 - SAC, Los Angeles (Personal Attention)

Re: Anagram - Nationalist China

Based on information submitted, Bureau has concluded that individual letters of commendation which you recommended for above-named agents are not warranted. Place a copy of this letter in their personnel files.

1 - [redacted] (Sent Direct)

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Based on [redacted] Sullivan memo 12/28/66 and addendum Administrative Division 12/30/66 re: Anagram-Nationalist China; Espionage - Nationalist China. Copies prepared and attached for placing in files of SAs Joseph J. Ross, Jr., and [redacted]

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January 24, 1967

PERSONAL ATTENTION

Mr. Wesley G. Grapp
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Los Angeles, California

Dear Mr. Grapp:

Time Spent in Office (TIO) by agents of your office for December, 1966, was 20.1 per cent. While this is a slight decrease from the previous month it is still considered high, and further reduction must be effected. All possible attempts should be made to keep TIO to a minimum, consistent with the work load. You should give this matter your close personal attention.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

John Edgar Hoover
Director

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1 - SOG, Los Angeles Field Office File

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NOTE: Letters written to SACs of offices where TIO for December, 1966, considered high.

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Mr. Wesley G. Grapp
Federal Bureau of Investigation
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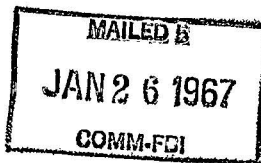
Dear Mr. Grapp:

It is noted the daily overtime average of your office for December, 1966, was 2 hours and 46 minutes, which is a slight increase over the previous month, and considered high. Every effort must be made to keep overtime to a minimum. It is your responsibility to see that your agent personnel are reminded of this and endeavor to minimize overtime performance whenever possible, consistent with the discharge of official business.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

John Edgar Hoover
Director



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RECEIPT FOR GOVERNMENT PROPERTY
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

1/24/67

I certify that I have received the following Government property for official use:

~~XXXXX~~
returned

New Commission Card with case # 94
SAC

RETURNED:

Old Commission Card with case # 94
SAC

READ

The Government property which you hereby acknowledge is charged to you and you are responsible for taking care of it and returning it when its use has been completed. DO NOT MARK OR WRITE ON IT OR MUTILATE IT IN ANY WAY.

Very truly yours,

(Written
Signature)

(Typed
Signature)

Wesley G. Grapp

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SAC, **Los Angeles****2/21/67**

Director, FBI

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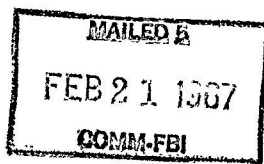
☒ You are hereby instructed to report to Seat of Government for **Two-Day Conferences** commencing **December 4, 1967**.

☐ You should instruct _____ Special Agent(s) to report to Seat of Government, Room 5240, at 9:30 A. M. Monday, _____ for attendance at an In-Service Training Course for a period of twelve days. You should not schedule Agents on probation, limited duty, or those recommended for specialized training.

☐ You should instruct the following Agent(s) to report to Seat of Government, Room 5240, at 9:30 A. M. Monday, _____ for attendance at an In-Service Training Course for a period of twelve days:

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Confirm attendance.

☐ There are enclosed statements with respect to the In-Service Training Course which you should furnish to the Special Agent(s).

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1 - Mr. Casper

1 - [redacted]

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① Personnel file of Wesley G. Grapp

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MAIL ROOM ☐ TELETYPE UNIT ☐

February 27, 1967

PERSONAL ATTENTION

Mr. Wesley G. Grapp
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Los Angeles, California

Dear Mr. Grapp:

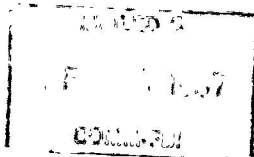
It is noted the daily overtime average of your office for January was 2 hours and 47 minutes. This is considered high. Overtime must be kept to a minimum and in this regard your agent personnel must make a concerted effort in order that a decrease be effected. It is your responsibility to follow on this.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

John Edgar Hoover
Director

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NOTE: Letters written to SACs of offices where office overtime average for January, 1967, considered high.

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MAIL ROOM ☐ TELETYPE UNIT ☐

February 27, 1967

PERSONAL ATTENTION

Mr. Wesley G. Grapp
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Los Angeles, California

Dear Mr. Grapp:

Bureau records disclose that the Time Spent in Office (TIO) by agents of the Los Angeles Division was 20.5 per cent for January, an increase over the already high figures for November and December, 1966. This upward trend is undesirable and your agents must endeavor to keep TIO to a minimum, consistent of course, with the necessary discharge of official business.

Sincerely yours,

REC-150 100-1821-485
J. Edgar Hoover
John Edgar Hoover
Director

- 1 - Inspection Division
1 - SOG, Los Angeles Field Office File

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NOTE: Letters written to SACs of offices where TIO for January, 1967, considered high.

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March 27, 1967

PERSONAL ATTENTION

Mr. Wesley G. Grapp
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Los Angeles, California

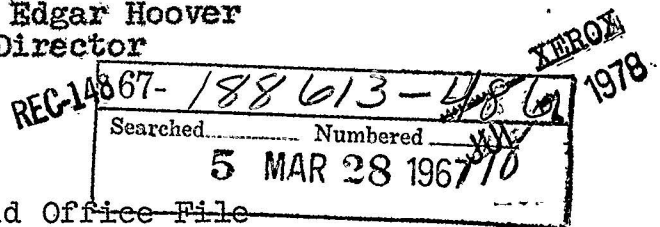
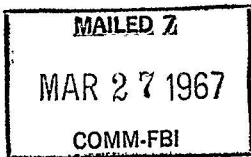
Dear Mr. Grapp:

The daily overtime average for your office for February was 2 hours and 50 minutes, which is considered high, in addition to being an increase over the previous month. It is important overtime be kept as low as possible. It is among your responsibilities to see that steps will be taken to effect reduction, consistent with the discharge of official business.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

John Edgar Hoover
Director



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1 - SOG, Los Angeles Field Office File

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

*In Reply, Please Refer to
File No.*

Director
Federal Bureau of Investigation
United States Department of Justice
Washington, D. C. 20535

Dear Sir:

For inclusion in the fund to be paid to the designated beneficiary of any Special Agent of the FBI who has previously contributed to this fund and who dies from any cause except self-destruction while employed as a Special Agent, I am forwarding herewith (by Check - Money Order) the sum of \$10, payable to S.A.I.F., to be included in said fund. Payment will be made for death by self-destruction after the Agent has been a member of the fund for a continuous period of two years. It is understood and agreed that the sum tendered herewith is a voluntary, gratuitous contribution to said fund which I understand is to be administered in the following manner.

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EXECUTE IN DUPLICATE AND SUBMIT BOTH COPIES TO THE BUREAU

Official Bureau Name (please type or print)	Date	Office of Assignment (or SOG Division)
SA WESLEY G. GRAPP	2/21/67	Los Angeles

The following person is designated as my beneficiary for Special Agents Insurance Fund:

Name (primary beneficiary; use given first name if female) CAROLYN K. GRAPP	Relationship Wife
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Address	4800 Abbeyville Avenue, Woodland Hills, California 91364
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Name (contingent beneficiary, if desired; use given first name if female)	Relationship
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Address	
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Do you desire to designate the above-listed beneficiaries as the beneficiary and contingent beneficiary respectively of the Chas. S. Ross Fund as well? ☒ Yes ☐ No If not, the entire following portion must be executed.

The following person is designated as my beneficiary under the Chas. S. Ross Fund providing \$1500 death benefit to beneficiary of agents killed in the line of duty, other than travel accidents.


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Very truly yours,


 Wesley G. Grapp
 Special Agent

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Mr. Conrad	_____
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SQUARE	Mr. Gale
911 WILSHIRE BLVD	Mr. Rosen
BEVERLY HILLS	Mr. Sullivan
CALIFORNIA	Mr. Tavel
6021	Mr. Trotter
BRadshaw	Tele. Room
Mr. Holmes	_____
Miss Gandy	_____

April 12, 1967

Mr. J. Edgar Hoover
The Federal Bureau of Investigation
Washington, D. C. 20535

Dear Mr. Hoover:

Words cannot adequately convey my deep appreciation for the outstanding manner in which the men of your Bureau have handled the kidnapping case of my son,
[Redacted]

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Mr. Wesley Grapp and his men have done such an outstanding and professional job, and yet displayed such a tremendous amount of warmth and understanding towards the family, that I felt it obligatory on my part to express to you our appreciation for their efforts and the efforts of the entire Bureau.

The three men from the Bureau who lived at my house during this period became so much a part of the family that, in a way, I was sorry to see them go. I will always have a very warm spot in my heart for all your men, but particularly for those three men and Mr. Grapp.

I am aware of your personal involvement and direct interest in this case and I extend to you, too, my most sincere appreciation.

Gratefully yours,

[Redacted Signature]

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cc Mr. Wesley Grapp, FBI/LA

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

REPORT OF PERFORMANCE RATING

Name of Employee: WESLEY G. GRAPPWhere Assigned: LOS ANGELES
(Division)

(Section, Unit)

Official Position Title and Grade: SPECIAL AGENT IN CHARGERating Period: from APRIL 1, 1966 to MARCH 31, 1967ADJECTIVE RATING: EXCELLENT

Outstanding, Excellent, Satisfactory, Unsatisfactory

Employee's
Initials

Rated by:

J. F. Mohr
Signature

Assistant to
the Director
Title

4-3-67
Date

Reviewed by:

Clyde Tolson
Signature

Associate Director
Title

4-3-67
Date

Rating Approved by:

J. E. Hoover
Signature

Director
Title

4-3-67
Date

TYPE OF REPORT

☒ Official
☒ Annual

☐ Administrative
☐ 60-Day
☐ 90-Day
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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
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COMMUNICATION SECTION

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FBI WASH DC

FBI LOS ANG.

204 PM DEFERRED 5-27-67 CAF

TO DIRECTOR

FROM LOS ANGELES

Mr. Tolson ☒
Mr. DeLoach ☒
Mr. Mohr ☒
Mr. Wick ☒
Mr. Casper ☒
Mr. Callahan ☒
Mr. Conrad ☒
Mr. Felt ☒
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Miss Holmes ☒
Miss Gandy ☒

SAC WESLEY G. GRAPP, DEATH OF MOTHER

MOTHER OF SAC WESLEY G. GRAPP, MRS. MAME GRAPP, BOISE, IDAHO, DIED LATE EVENING OF MAY TWENTY SIX LAST. FUNERAL ARRANGEMENTS ARE BEING MADE THROUGH MC BRATNEY DASH ALDEN FUNERAL HOME, BOISE, IDAHO AND FUNERAL SERVICES WILL BE HELD TEN A.M. MONDAY, MAY TWENTY NINE NEXT, ST. JOHN CATHOLIC CHURCH, BOISE. MRS. GRAPP WAS EIGHTY FOUR YEARS OLD AND HAD BEEN IN FAILING HEALTH.

SAC GRAPP TO GO TO BOISE MORNING OF MAY TWENTY EIGHT NEXT AND RETURN ON TUESDAY MAY THIRTY OR WEDNESDAY MAY THIRTY FIRST NEXT.

END

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FBI WASH DC

MR. MOHR FOR THE DIRECTOR

Noted in
Comm. Sect
By *[Signature]*

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& faxes ordered
Per Mr. [unclear]
5/29/67*

cc - Mr. [unclear] & [unclear]

May 27, 1967

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TELEGRAM

URGENT

1 - Mr. Tolson
1 - Mr. DeLoach
1 - Mr. Callahan
1 - Mr. Adcock

MR. WESLEY G. GRAPP
DELIVER BY MESSENGER
4800 ABBEYVILLE AVENUE
WOODLAND HILLS, CALIFORNIA

I WANT TO EXPRESS MY HEARTFELT SYMPATHY TO YOU AND YOUR
FAMILY ON THE PASSING OF YOUR MOTHER. THOUGH I REALIZE THAT
THERE IS NOTHING WHICH COULD COMPENSATE FOR SUCH A LOSS, I DO
WANT YOU TO KNOW THAT MY THOUGHTS ARE WITH YOU AND THAT YOUR
FRIENDS AND ASSOCIATES IN THE FBI SHARE YOUR SORROW.

JOHN EDGAR HOOVER

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NOTE: Mr. Mohr advised that Mrs. Grapp died last night at Boise, Idaho.
SAC Grapp is departing on Sunday, 5-28-67, for Boise. Flowers
from the Director and Associates are being sent.

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JUL 7 1967

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5 MAY 29 1967 MAIL ROOM TELETYPE UNIT ☐

June 5, 1967

Mr. Wesley G. Grapp
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Los Angeles, California

Dear Mr. Grapp:

I wish to commend, through you, Special Agents [redacted] Joseph J. Ross, Jr., and [redacted] who assisted in the apprehension of Bail Jumper [redacted] and [redacted], who was charged with aiding and abetting a Federal fugitive.

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These agents demonstrated their high degree of mobility and ability to coordinate a complicated situation and bring it to a successful conclusion. The arrests were accomplished in areas of high density of vehicular and pedestrian traffic and presented a real challenge to the ability of these men. Their coordinated efforts and teamwork were of material importance to the success achieved. I want you to convey my appreciation to each man for his fine work.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

1 - SAC, Los Angeles (Personal Attention)

Based on information submitted, Bureau does not consider individual letters for above-mentioned agents, as you recommended, are warranted. Place copy of this letter in their personnel files.

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1 - [redacted] (Sent Direct)

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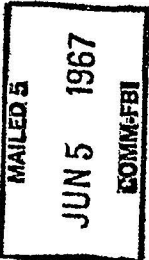
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Based on addendum Administrative Division 5/29/67 and Eddy-Gale memo 5/25/67 re [redacted] aka - Bail Jumper.

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Mr. Wesley G. Grapp
FBI, Los Angeles

[REDACTED]
Joseph J. Ross, Jr.
[REDACTED]

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~~SECRET~~
JUL 7 1978

Memo for Mr. Tolson
Re: Inspection - Los Angeles Office

Agent unavailable and on limited duty - justified. None are overweight or on probation. Morale appears high.

Applicant Recruitment Matters - Excellent (Last Inspection - Excellent). 17 Agent applicants entered on duty from Los Angeles since last inspection, and four appointments outstanding. Three clerks recruited for Seat of Government during same period (Los Angeles nonquota office). All logical sources of applicants being contacted.

Contacts - Excellent (Last Inspection - Excellent). [redacted] last inspection) provide excellent, diversified services with wide geographic coverage. [redacted] developed by present SAC, and SAC is submitting [redacted] for approval. Aggressive public appearance and speaking program involving extensive use of radio and television. Relations with news media generally favorable. National Academy, liaison and police training programs effective. Liaison with U. S. Attorney particularly effective. Director, SAC and Bureau highly regarded by all persons contacted.

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RECOMMENDATIONS:

1. Wesley G. Grapp, SAC since 3/1/64, GS-18 @ \$25,890, veteran, not on probation, 5th office as SAC, rated Excellent in 1967 annual rating. Makes substantial appearance, has aggressive personality, is firm administrator, has excellent knowledge of Bureau policies and procedures and is experienced, self-confident Bureau official. Had overall responsibility for security cases in which 3 substantive errors detected, SAC not culpable. Continue as SAC. If approved, attached letter will advise him of inspection findings.

2. [redacted] ASAC from 12/17/65 until 8/8/67; GS-15 @ \$18,764, veteran, not on probation, 2nd office as ASAC, rated Excellent in 1967 annual rating (transferred to Philadelphia for additional training in a slower moving office). Makes excellent appearance; is enthusiastic and hard working. Had overall supervisory responsibility for criminal cases in which 5 substantive errors detected, ASAC not culpable.

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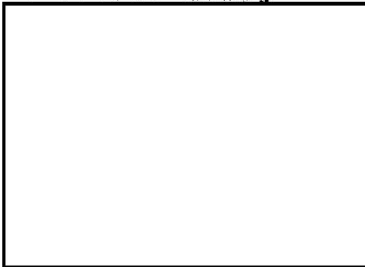
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3. Richard D. Rogge; reported as ASAC 8/14/67, during inspection; GS-15 @ \$18,157, veteran, not on probation, 3rd office as ASAC, rated Excellent in

Mr. Wesley G. Grapp
FBI, Los Angeles



Robert J. Barry



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EXROX
JUL 7 1978

June 21, 1967

Mr. Wesley G. Grapp
Federal Bureau of Investigation
* Los Angeles, California

Dear Mr. Grapp:

I am pleased to commend, through you,
Special Agents Edmund J. Birch, Ewing G. Layhew
and [redacted] for their fine services rela-
tive to the trial of [redacted]
the subject of an Espionage case.

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These men did an excellent job in their
preparation for this trial and Agents Birch and Layhew
testified in a manner reflecting credit on themselves
and the Bureau. Please express my appreciation to
them.

Sincerely yours,
J. Edgar Hoover

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1 - SAC, Los Angeles (Personal Attention)
Performances of these men in investigation of this case were
previously recognized and information submitted does not warrant
individual letters of commendation as you recommended. Place
copy of this letter in their personnel files.

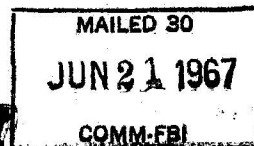
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Based on memo [redacted] Sullivan 6/16/67 and addendum
Administrative Division 6/20/67 re CIPCRY; ESPIONAGE-RUSSIA

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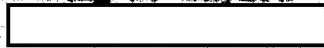
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Mr. Wesley G. Grapp
FBI, Los Angeles



Edmund J. Birch
Ewing G. Layhew



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June 23, 1967

Mr. Wesley G. Grapp
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Los Angeles, California

Dear Mr. Grapp:

I am pleased to commend, through you,
Assistant Special Agent in Charge [redacted]
and the agents who performed so competently in the
investigation and apprehension of [redacted]
and [redacted], the subjects of an Unlawful
Flight to Avoid Prosecution case.

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These badly wanted fugitives were located
and taken into custody without incident as the result of
the resourceful and aggressive efforts of all partici-
pants in the investigation. I want to thank [redacted]
for his effective leadership and to ask you to express
my appreciation to the others.

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Sincerely yours,
J. Edgar Hoover

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SAC, Los Angeles (Personal Attention)

Based on information submitted, Bureau does not consider incentive
award for SA [redacted] or individual letter for SA [redacted]
are warranted. Place copy of this letter in their personnel files, as
well as in files of other participants.

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1 - [redacted] (Sent Direct)
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Based on memo Eddy-Gale 6-20-67 re [redacted] aka;
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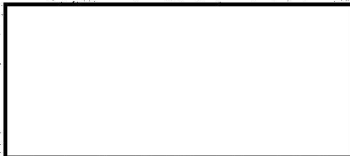
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FBI, Los Angeles



Joseph J. Ross, Jr.



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JUL 7 1978

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : Director, FBI

DATE: 6/6/67

FROM : SAC, Los Angeles

SUBJECT: WESLEY G. GRAPP (SSN 504-10-0962)
(Employee's present payroll name)

LOS ANGELES

(Division)

PAYROLL NAME (List as desired on payroll)

ADDRESS AND PHONE CHANGE

Present phone number (city) (Area code 213) 340-6308 Woodland Hills	4240 Bon Homme Road, Woodland Hills, Calif.
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> FD-310 enclosed Hills	Local address (Number Street City State) 91364

NOTE (The following must be executed in reporting BIRTHS or CHANGES IN MARITAL STATUS.)

Has spouse ever been an employee of the Bureau or an applicant for Bureau employment?				
1. <input type="checkbox"/> No	2. <input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> Present	<input type="checkbox"/> Former	<input type="checkbox"/> Applicant

MARITAL STATUS

Married to - Show full (maiden) name of spouse	Date and place of marriage
Data re spouse	
Birth date	Birthplace
Legal Residence	Occupation
Office indices re spouse and relatives (use Addendum, if necessary)	
Credit and arrest records re spouse (use Addendum, if necessary)	
FD-292 enclosed 1. <input type="checkbox"/> Yes 2. <input type="checkbox"/> No Date it will be submitted	
FD-310 enclosed 1. <input type="checkbox"/> Yes 2. <input type="checkbox"/> No Date it will be submitted	
Name, address, and telephone number of person to be notified in case of emergency	

BIRTHS

Girl named	Boy named
Born on	Birthplace
To employee and (Name of spouse)	
This is their ____ child	

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June 30, 1967

Mr. Wesley G. Grapp
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Los Angeles, California

Dear Mr. Grapp:

I want to commend, through you, the agents who participated in the investigation and apprehension of [redacted] the subject of a Destruction of Aircraft or Motor Vehicle case.

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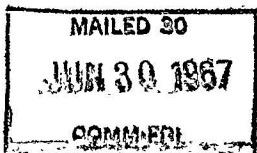
As a result of a thoroughly planned and well executed investigation, [redacted] at the time an unknown subject, was identified and arrested. This required intensive resourcefulness and aggressiveness on the part of all participating agents. Please convey my appreciation to each man for his fine efforts.

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Sincerely yours,
J. Edgar Hoover

MAILED
JUL 7 1967

1 - SAC, Los Angeles (Personal Attention)
Place a copy of this letter in files of personnel who participated in this matter. ~~XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX~~
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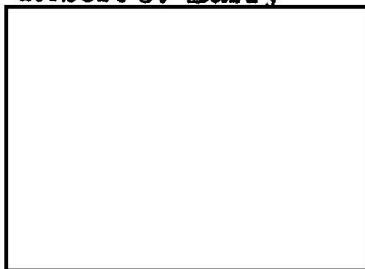
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Mr. Wesley G. Grapp
FBI, Los Angeles



Robert J. Barry



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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

*In Reply, Please Refer to
File No.*

Director
Federal Bureau of Investigation
United States Department of Justice
Washington, D. C. 20535

Dear Sir:

For inclusion in the fund to be paid to the designated beneficiary of any Special Agent of the FBI who has previously contributed to this fund and who dies from any cause except self-destruction while employed as a Special Agent, I am forwarding herewith (by Check - Money Order) the sum of \$20, payable to S.A.I.F., to be included in said fund. Payment will be made for death by self-destruction after the Agent has been a member of the fund for a continuous period of two years. It is understood and agreed that the sum tendered herewith is a voluntary, gratuitous contribution to said fund which I understand is to be administered in the following manner.

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EXECUTE IN DUPLICATE AND SUBMIT BOTH COPIES TO THE BUREAU

Official Bureau Name (please type or print)	Date	Office of Assignment (or SOG Division)
SA WESLEY G. GRAPP	5/26/67	Los Angeles

The following person is designated as my beneficiary for Special Agents Insurance Fund:

Name (primary beneficiary; use given first name if female) CAROLYN K. GRAPP	Relationship Wife
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Address %FBI, 1340 West Sixth Street, Los Angeles, California 90017	
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Name (contingent beneficiary, if desired; use given first name if female)	Relationship
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Address	
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Do you desire to designate the above-listed beneficiaries as the beneficiary and contingent beneficiary respectively of the Chas. S. Ross Fund as well? ☒ Yes ☐ No If not, the entire following portion must be executed.

The following person is designated as my beneficiary under the Chas. S. Ross Fund providing \$1500 death benefit to beneficiary of agents killed in the line of duty, other than travel accidents.

Name (primary beneficiary; use given first name if female)	Relationship
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Address	
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Name (contingent beneficiary, if desired; use given first name if female)	Relationship
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Address	
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Very truly yours,

Wesley G. Grapp
 Special Agent

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PLAINTEXT

7-17-67

TELEGRAM

URGENT

MR. WESLEY G. GRAPP
DELIVER BY MESSENGER
4240 BON HOMME ROAD
WOODLAND HILLS, CALIFORNIA 91364

I WANT TO EXTEND MY SINCERE SYMPATHY TO YOUR
FAMILY AND YOU ON THE PASSING OF YOUR BROTHER. IT IS
MY HOPE THAT YOU WILL DERIVE A MEASURE OF COMFORT FROM
KNOWING THAT THE UNDERSTANDING THOUGHTS OF YOUR FBI
ASSOCIATES ARE WITH YOU IN YOUR BEREAVEMENT.

JOHN EDGAR HOOVER

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SAC, Grapp telephonically advised this afternoon that his brother, /
Donald Grapp, age 54, died 7-17-67, from cancer, at Portland.

Telegram is being sent to SAC Grapp's home address.

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
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July 24, 1967

Mr. Wesley G. Grapp
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Los Angeles, California

Dear Mr. Grapp:

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[redacted] of the Bank of America, National Trust and Savings Association, San Francisco, California, recently wrote me a very complimentary letter concerning a bank burglary investigation conducted by Special Agents of your office. Copies of his letter and my reply are being enclosed.

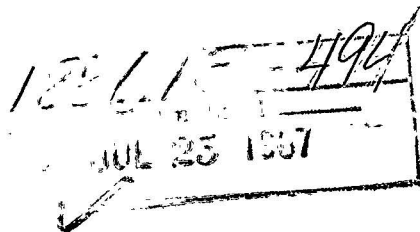
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I want you to know how much I appreciate your excellent representation of the Bureau. Please convey my sentiments to the participating Agents.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

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Enclosures (2)

- 1 - Mr. Wick (Sent with AG memo, same date)
- 1 - Mr. DeLoach (Sent with AG memo, same date)
- 1 - Mr. Rosen (Sent with AG memo, same date)
- 1 - [redacted] - Enclosure

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July 26, 1967

Mr. Wesley G. Grapp
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Los Angeles, California

Dear Mr. Grapp:

The splendid statistical accomplishments achieved by your division during the Fiscal Year 1967 are indeed exemplary and I want to commend you and, through you, the participating personnel.

It is most gratifying to note that your office has shown improvement in all four categories of accomplishments. This is indicative of the interest, enthusiasm and competence each one displayed in carrying out his respective responsibilities. The efforts of all are noteworthy and I do not want the opportunity to pass without expressing my appreciation to those who contributed.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

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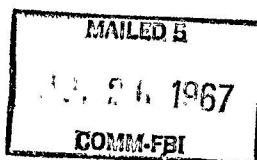
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Based on memo Rosen to DeLoach 7-12-67 re Accomplishments of the FBI, Fiscal Year 1967.



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July 20, 1967

Mr. Wesley G. Grapp
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Los Angeles, California

Dear Mr. Grapp:

I want to commend you, and through you, the agents who participated in the apprehension of Top Ten Fugitives [redacted] and [redacted] the subjects of a Killing of Federal Officers case.

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Your over-all direction in this matter, which led to the location and apprehension of these dangerous fugitives, was indeed commendable. I am not unmindful of the dedication demonstrated by the participating agents who worked without thought for personal convenience. Please convey my gratitude to them.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

AUG 16 1967

1 - SAC, Los Angeles (Personal Attention)

Based on information submitted Bureau has concluded that individual letters of commendation you recommended for SAs [redacted]

[redacted] Richard J. Nelson and Stephen L. Durkin are not warranted. Place copy of this letter in their personnel files as well as other participating agents not individually recognized.

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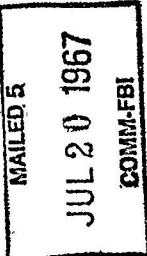
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Mr. Wesley G. Crapp
FBI, Los Angeles



Richard J. Nelson
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August 24, 1967

PERSONAL ATTENTION

Mr. Wesley G. Grapp
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Los Angeles, California

Dear Mr. Grapp:

I have reviewed the results of the recent inspection of the Los Angeles Office and have approved the following ratings for the various operations: Applicant Recruitment Matters and Contacts - Excellent; Physical Condition and Maintenance, Investigative Operations, Administrative Operations and Personnel Matters - Very Good.

Your headquarters city office space, although very crowded, was found to be secure and well maintained. There must be no letdown in the physical maintenance of your office space and equipment in contemplation of the move of the headquarters city office to West Los Angeles next spring. The plans for this move should be followed closely and liaison maintained with the General Services Administration to insure that the Bureau's interests are properly protected. Insure appropriate steps are taken to improve the soundproofing in the Bakersfield, Fresno and Van Nuys Resident Agencies.

No safety defects were detected in the automobiles inspected. I realize that your parking areas are small; however, this is not an acceptable excuse for the numerous small scratches and dents on some of your Bureau cars. I expect you to take firm steps to insure this condition is corrected. When Agents are at fault they must assume responsibility for repair even if the damage is slight. Your operating and repair costs exceed the field average and must be reduced. After the arrival of all Agent personnel currently under transfer to your office, you should conduct a survey as to the total number of vehicles you feel is needed and thereafter submit your recommendations to the Bureau together with proper justification.

I have been concerned over the consistently high delinquency being recorded by your office. Because of this condition and the continuing rise in the office case load, I have approved the assignment of additional Agents

1 - Mr. Callahan (Attention Mr. J. B. Adams) (With Enclosure)

1 - SOG Inspection File Los Angeles Office

1 - Personnel File Wesley G. Grapp

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Mr. Wesley G. Crapp

to the Los Angeles Office to bring the Agent complement up to 200. After they arrive I shall expect a sharp decline in the case delinquency.

I am very pleased to note your statistical accomplishments in fiscal year 1967 exceeded those of the previous year in all categories. Every effort must be made to continue this trend during the current fiscal year.

The Inspector conducted an intensive review of the [] kidnaping case and submitted suggestions and instructions which should be implemented promptly. The very high incidence of bank robbery matters in the Los Angeles area continues to be alarming. The unusually large number of unsolved cases reflects very unfavorably on your investigative operations. In accordance with the recommendation of the Inspector, I shall expect you to assign such additional Agent personnel to these highly important matters as is necessary to substantially improve your accomplishments.

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Your Criminal Intelligence and Interstate Gambling Programs were rated very good. The accomplishments of your office in this field are gratifying. This is indicative of what can be done with an enthusiastic and aggressive approach.

The Criminal Informant Program was rated very good. However, there is a critical need to revitalize your coverage in those categories cited by the Inspector in order to insure that appropriate coverage is being afforded.

Your Security Informant Program was rated very good but you must continue to emphasize the importance of this phase of our work. I was pleased to note the positive results achieved by the effective handling of double agents under the direction of your office. The Nation of Islam continues as an active militant organization in your territory. The threat of this organization to law and order makes it imperative that member informants be developed in all temples.

Although there have been no major racial disturbances in the Los Angeles area in recent months, the situation is highly volatile. ~~Do not~~ ^{EMPHASIS} not overemphasize the need for immediate intensification of your program to develop informants in ghetto areas so you will know in advance of potential outbreaks. The suggestions of the Inspector regarding the development of racial informants should be implemented immediately.

The excessive number of missed deadlines in applicant matters detracts from your better-than-average handling of civil rights and fugitive

Mr. Wesley G. Grapp

matters within established deadlines. The eight substantive errors detected in files reviewed highlight a serious need for greater care in both the investigative and supervisory aspects of your case work.

The Chief Clerk's Office was determined to be well organized and functioning smoothly. I was pleased to learn that misfiled index cards and form errors were below the field average, and that there had been a decrease in the number of errors in registers and daily reports since the last inspection. You must continue to stress the importance of avoiding administrative errors.

Your stenographic production was found to be above the field average; however, typing production was slightly below. The excessive number of pages to be retyped indicates a loss of efficiency. Afford this matter your personal attention.

Your recruitment of seventeen Special Agent applicants since the last inspection is noteworthy. Although you have not been given a quota, you should continue your efforts to recruit clerical applicants for the Seat of Government where the need continues to be critical.

Your [] throughout the territory are providing diversified and quality coverage and your National Academy liaison and police training programs appear effective. You should continue to make maximum use of radio and television in your public appearance and speaking program.

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You and your Assistant Special Agent in Charge must carefully study the inspection findings and within thirty days of receipt of this letter inform the Bureau of corrective action taken.

Sincerely yours,

John Edgar Hoover
Director

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NOTE: Based on memo W. M. Felt to Mr. Tolson captioned "Inspection - Los Angeles Office, Assistant Director W. M. Felt, 7/31 - 8/17/67," dated 8/24/67, WMF:wmj.

MR. TOLSON

August 24, 1967

W. M. FELT

INSPECTION - LOS ANGELES OFFICE
ASSISTANT DIRECTOR W. M. FELT
7/31 - 8/17/67

*ICC 6/15/68 for
Delivery to the ASAC
per request 3/7/68
JTC*

SUMMARY

Officials: Wesley G. Grapp, SAC since 3/1/64; [redacted] ASAC from 12/17/65 to 8/8/67 (transferred to Philadelphia); Richard D. Rogge, ASAC since 8/14/67. Last inspection: 9/26 - 10/13/66.

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Physical Condition and Maintenance - Very Good (Last Inspection - Very Good). Office located in separate building convenient to downtown Los Angeles. Space secure and well maintained but extremely crowded. Move to new Federal Building, West Los Angeles, scheduled for May or June, 1968. Resident Agencies well maintained; SAC instructed to arrange for additional sound-proofing of Resident Agencies at Bakersfield, Fresno, and Van Nuys to improve security. Office ordered to supply Visalia Resident Agency with fingerprint kit and camera in accordance with previous instructions. 110 of 235 vehicles inspected; no safety defects noted. A number of cars have numerous small scratches and dents believed resulting from Agents attempting to park in the very narrow stalls in basement garage. Cumulative effect detracts from overall appearance. SAC instructed to take steps to insure greater care used. Auto storage secure. Auto operating and repair costs above average. Auto accidents reduced; defensive driving stressed. Utilization of autos high. Since additional Agents currently under transfer in, office instructed to re-survey utilization and advise Bureau of necessary vehicle complement.

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Investigative Operations - Very Good (Last Inspection - Very Good). Case load 7/31/67, 9698 (9038 active); up substantially from last inspection - 8250 (7570 active) for 19.4% increase in active cases. Field-wide increase during same period 5.8%. Case rise steady and not occasioned by 2 recent specials (murder of Border Patrolman and Kidnapping). Delinquency of 11.1% above average and above average each month since last inspection; however, total of categories with delinquency over 7% reduced from 23 to 13 in past month. Case load per Agent consistently above average but slightly below field average in case closings per Agent. Statistical accomplishments up in all four categories for fiscal year (FY) 1967 and Los Angeles led all other offices in convictions and fugitives apprehended. For first month FY 1968, up in 3 categories and even in convictions. 8 substantive errors detected, below average (handled separately). Since last inspection, office has been engaged in two major case specials and one, [redacted]

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1 - Mr. Callahan (Att: Mr. J. B. Adams) (Sent Separately)

1 - Personnel Files of Wesley G. Grapp, [redacted] and Richard D. Rogge

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Memo for Mr. Tolson
Re: Inspection - Los Angeles Office

Kidnapping, continues to involve extensive investigation with 21 Agents assigned full time; suggestions made for leads and techniques to pursue. Since last inspection 195 of 341 new bank robberies solved (57.2% solution rate); 5 of 23 new bank burglaries and 6 of 7 new bank larcenies solved (combined solution rate 36.7%); 335 total remaining unsolved violations. Instructions and suggestions made for improvement; Inspector recommended assignment of additional manpower to Bank Robbery Squad. Criminal Intelligence and Gambling Programs rated very good. 28 members of La Cosa Nostra (LCN) identified in territory - intensification for further identification stressed. Top-echelon informants furnishing substantial information with one LCN member informant developed - need for expanded coverage and development of additional LCN member informants stressed. Criminal Informant Program rated very good. Number of criminal informants increased but need for improved coverage in specific areas cited. Communist Party active but membership down. Aggressive counterintelligence programs; espionage and nationalities intelligence investigations handled effectively - double agent operations effective. Security Informant Program rated very good. Nation of Islam active - need for additional member informants emphasized. Numerous minor sporadic racial-type outbreaks indicate potential for violent disturbances - instructions issued to immediately intensify development of informants in ghetto areas. Racial informants, liaison sources and Klan coverage generally effective. Applicant deadlines missed slightly above average; civil rights and fugitive deadlines missed below average.

Administrative Operations - Very Good (Last Inspection - Fair). Deficiencies detected during last inspection corrected. 17-desk office - justified; work equitably distributed. Stenographic production above field average, but typist production slightly below. Retypes well above field average - necessity for accuracy stressed. No stenographic delinquency during first 7 months of calendar year. Chief Clerk's Office well organized and functioning properly with project work satisfactory. Misfiled index cards and form errors below field average. Errors in registers and daily reports decreased since last inspection - no errors affecting fringe benefits. Time in office below field average. Voluntary overtime very high, but essential, productive and equitably shared. Confidential expenditures and imprest fund adequately controlled.

Personnel Matters - Very Good (Last Inspection - Very Good). On 8/4/67 complement was 565 (344 Agents and 221 clerks) with clerk-Agent ratio 61% (field average 63%). SAC requested additional Agent personnel to increase complement by 45 Agents; number considered excessive and by separate memorandum Inspector's recommendation to increase Agent complement by 24 to total of 363 approved. Authorized clerical complement 225; SAC previously authorized to recruit 10 additional clerks and 15 additional stenographers available after graduation, which temporary excess over quota to be reduced by normal turnover. Clerical complement currently adequate. SAC instructed to re-evaluate clerical needs after arrival of additional Agent personnel. One

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Memo for Mr. Tolson
Re: Inspection - Los Angeles Office

Agent unavailable and on limited duty - justified. None are overweight or on probation. Morale appears high.

Applicant Recruitment Matters - Excellent (Last Inspection - Excellent). 17 Agent applicants entered on duty from Los Angeles since last inspection, and four appointments outstanding. Three clerks recruited for Seat of Government during same period (Los Angeles nonquota office). All logical sources of applicants being contacted.

Contacts - Excellent (Last Inspection - Excellent). [redacted] last inspection) provide excellent, diversified services with wide geographic coverage. [redacted] developed by present SAC, and SAC is submitting [redacted] for approval. Aggressive public appearance and speaking program involving extensive use of radio and television. Relations with news media generally favorable. National Academy, liaison and police training programs effective. Liaison with U. S. Attorney particularly effective. Director, SAC and Bureau highly regarded by all persons contacted.

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RECOMMENDATIONS:

1. Wesley G. Grapp, SAC since 3/1/64, GS-18 @ \$25,890, veteran, not on probation, 5th office as SAC, rated Excellent in 1967 annual rating. Makes substantial appearance, has aggressive personality, is firm administrator, has excellent knowledge of Bureau policies and procedures and is experienced, self-confident Bureau official. Had overall responsibility for security cases in which 3 substantive errors detected, SAC not culpable. Continue as SAC. If approved, attached letter will advise him of inspection findings.

2. [redacted] ASAC from 12/17/65 until 8/8/67; GS-15 @ \$18,764, veteran, not on probation, 2nd office as ASAC, rated Excellent in 1967 annual rating (transferred to Philadelphia for additional training in a slower moving office). Makes excellent appearance; is enthusiastic and hard working. Had overall supervisory responsibility for criminal cases in which 5 substantive errors detected, ASAC not culpable.

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3. Richard D. Rogge; reported as ASAC 8/14/67, during inspection; GS-15 @ \$18,157, veteran, not on probation, 3rd office as ASAC, rated Excellent in

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Re: Inspection - Los Angeles Office

1967 annual rating. Makes excellent personal appearance and appears intensely interested in his work.

4. Recommendations as to other personnel handled separately.

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August 25, 1967

Mr. Wesley G. Grapp
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Los Angeles, California

Dear Mr. Grapp:

I want to commend, through you, the agents in the Los Angeles Office who participated so splendidly in the investigation and apprehension of [redacted], the subject of a Bank Robbery case.

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They made noteworthy contributions to the successful outcome of this case through their alertness and perseverance. Their fine services are a credit to them, as well as the Bureau, and I want you to convey my appreciation to them.

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Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

1 - SAC, Los Angeles (Personal Attention)

Place a copy of this letter in files of personnel who participated in this matter but were not individually recognized.

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Based on Los Angeles airtel 8/19/67 and addendum General Investigative Division 8/22/67 re [redacted] - BR.

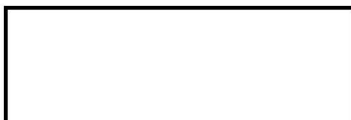
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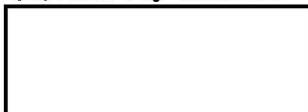
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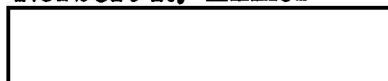
Letter to Mr. Wesley G. Grapp
FBI, Los Angeles



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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

*In Reply, Please Refer to
File No.*

Director
Federal Bureau of Investigation
United States Department of Justice
Washington, D. C. 20535

Dear Sir:

For inclusion in the fund to be paid to the designated beneficiary of any Special Agent of the FBI who has previously contributed to this fund and who dies from any cause except self-destruction while employed as a Special Agent, I am forwarding herewith (by Check - Money Order) the sum of \$20, payable to S.A.I.F., to be included in said fund. Payment will be made for death by self-destruction after the Agent has been a member of the fund for a continuous period of two years. It is understood and agreed that the sum tendered herewith is a voluntary, gratuitous contribution to said fund which I understand is to be administered in the following manner.

The Director of the FBI will appoint a committee which shall consider all matters pertaining to the acquisition, safe keeping and expending of said fund, which committee will recommend appropriate action to the Director in pertinent matters. The Assistant Director of the Administrative Division of the FBI shall receive all contributions and account for same to the Director. Upon the death of any Special Agent who is a member of said fund the appointed committee will consider the case and submit a recommendation to the Director as to its conclusions. Appropriate instructions will then be issued to the Assistant Director of the Administrative Division, directing him to pay to the designated beneficiary the sum of \$20,000. The liability of the fund shall not under any circumstances exceed the amount of monies in the fund at the time any liability shall occur.

EXECUTE IN DUPLICATE AND SUBMIT BOTH COPIES TO THE BUREAU

Official Bureau Name (please type or print)	Date	Office of Assignment (or SOG Division)
SA WESLEY G. GRAPP	7/6/67	Los Angeles

The following person is designated as my beneficiary for Special Agents Insurance Fund:

Name (primary beneficiary; use given first name if female) CAROLYN K. GRAPP	Relationship Wife
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Address
c/o FBI, 1340 West Sixth Street, Los Angeles, California 90017

Name (contingent beneficiary, if desired; use given first name if female)	Relationship
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Do you desire to designate the above-listed beneficiaries as the beneficiary and contingent beneficiary respectively of the Chas. S. Ross Fund as well? ☒ Yes ☐ No If not, the entire following portion must be executed.

The following person is designated as my beneficiary under the Chas. S. Ross Fund providing \$1500 death benefit to beneficiary of agents killed in the line of duty, other than travel accidents.

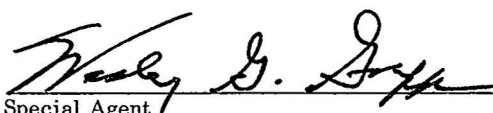
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Very truly yours,


 Special Agent

Represented by
Special Agents Insurance Fund

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J. Edgar Hoover, Director

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September 7, 1967

Mr. Wesley G. Grapp
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Los Angeles, California

Dear Mr. Grapp:

I am pleased to commend, through you, Assistant
Special Agent in Charge Richard D. Rogge and the agents who
participated so ably in the apprehension of Top Ten Fugitive
[redacted], the subject of a Bank Robbery case.

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These men discharged their respective assignments
in a resourceful fashion, thereby contributing to the success
achieved. Please express my appreciation to Mr. Rogge for
his splendid leadership and to the others for the fine quality of
their services.

Sincerely yours,
J. Edgar Hoover

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1 - SAC, Los Angeles (Personal Attention)

Place a copy of this letter in files of personnel who
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recognized.

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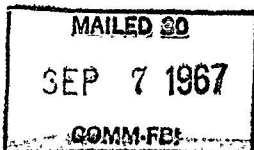
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September 19, 1967

PERSONAL

Mr. Wesley G. Grapp
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Los Angeles, California

Dear Mr. Grapp:

It is with considerable concern that I note your division had an increase of accidents involving Bureau vehicles during the past fiscal year as compared with fiscal year 1966. This undesirable trend should be forcefully brought to the attention of all employees operating Bureau automotive equipment and you should insure they understand the absolute necessity of careful driving at all times.

Increased emphasis should be placed on the need for safe driving practices. It is your responsibility to insure that a decrease in the number of accidents is effected in your division during the current fiscal year.

Very truly yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

John Edgar Hoover
Director



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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : Mr. Bishop

DATE: 9-15-67

FROM : M. A. Jones

SUBJECT: PORTRAYAL OF THE FBI IN THE
MOTION PICTURE, "THE PRESIDENT'S
ANALYST"
PARAMOUNT PICTURES, INC.

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Reference is made to my memorandum of 5-11-67, captioned as above, in which it was pointed out that our Los Angeles Office had learned of the filming of the motion picture, "The President's Analyst," depicting the FBI in what is regarded as a "funny, satirical" manner. You will recall that, inasmuch as a review of the script determined that the Bureau is portrayed in a disparaging and inaccurate manner, SAC, Los Angeles, was directed to contact appropriate officials of Paramount Studios to lodge a protest. SAC, in speaking to executives of Paramount Studios, very forcefully pointed out that all references to the FBI should be deleted from this film or all avenues of legal redress would be explored to invoke Public Law 670 which prohibits unauthorized use of the FBI's name.

In contacting appropriate officials on several occasions, firm commitments were obtained by SAC that the picture would be revised upon completion to delete references to the FBI. The officials contacted expressed desire to maintain the fine relationship which existed between this Bureau and Paramount Studios, and wished to await the completion of the motion picture to mollify [redacted] who, studio officials felt, might object to such deletions.

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On 9-12-67, [redacted]

Paramount Pictures, contacted SAC, Los Angeles, and requested him to come to the studio and to review the motion picture. This request was made so that SAC could point out what scenes were objectionable. SAC pointed out diplomatically but firmly that there was no need to review this film, as a

- 1 - Mr. DeLoach
- 1 - Mr. Bishop

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M. A. Jones to Bishop Memo
RE: "THE PRESIDENT'S ANALYST"

firm commitment had been received from studio executives to delete all references to the FBI from the film. After speaking with executives of the studio during his conversation with SAC and determining that such a commitment had been made, [] stated that he agreed the studio should honor its word and delete references to the FBI. He stated that attempts would be made to synchronize dubbed-in dialogue to replace deletions pertaining to the Bureau.

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SAC also learned through [] of the film who has been very cooperative with the FBI regarding it, that [] and James Coburn, the star of the film, may be so incensed as to attempt to embarrass the FBI publicly for objecting to this picture. [] is a beatnik-type producer who has characterized himself by his penchant for producing films pandering to the lowest taste of the public. Coburn, correspondingly, is an admitted LSD user who appears regularly in the type of films [] produces. It would be expected, of course, that such individuals, devoid of moral principles themselves, would attempt to embarrass the FBI for exercising its right to protect its good name. Neither [] nor Coburn is identifiable in Bufiles.

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On 9-14-67, SAC, Los Angeles, advised that he had been informed by [] that the Executive Staff of Paramount Studios had decided at a meeting to delete all references to the FBI from this film. Three suggestions were made to SAC for wording to be dubbed into the film as a substitute for the letters "FBI" and the words "Federal Bureau of Investigation." These are: FBR and Federal Board of Regulations; FED and Federal Evidence Department; and FCS and Federal Control and Security. There is no objection to the use of any of the foregoing, and SAC, Los Angeles, should be so advised so that he may inform studio officials by the morning of 9-18-67, in accordance with their desire.

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According to SAC, Los Angeles, this matter has been successfully resolved, and his efforts have resulted in insuring that the best interests of this Bureau are protected. The manner in which he diplomatically and effectively handled his responsibilities is deserving of commendation, and it is recommended that he receive appropriate recognition for this achievement.

RECOMMENDATIONS: (1) That SAC, Los Angeles be telephonically advised that the Bureau interposes no objections to the suggested changes in the wording of this film.

(2) That the Administrative Division prepare an appropriate letter of commendation for SAC Grapp for his excellent handling of this matter.

M. A. Jones to Bishop Memo
RE: "THE PRESIDENT'S ANALYST"

(3) Upon approval, this memorandum should be referred to the Administrative Division for an appropriate letter of commendation to SAC Grapp.

AM *P* *Free* *BS* *GK* *sent 9-20-67* *rek*
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November 17, 1967

Mr. Wesley G. Grapp
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Los Angeles, California

Dear Mr. Grapp:

For their excellent services in the investigation and apprehension of [redacted] the subject of a Bond Default case, I am pleased to commend, through you, the agents involved.

This was a fast-moving case and everyone handled his responsibilities with skill and initiative. As a result of their exemplary team efforts, [redacted] was arrested. I want you to convey my appreciation to the men for their fine performances.

Sincerely yours,
J. Edgar Hoover

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1 - SAC, Los Angeles (Personal Attention)

Based on information submitted, Bureau does not consider individual letter for SA Paine, as you recommended, is warranted. Place copy of this letter in his personnel file and in files of other participants.

1 - [redacted] (Sent Direct)

NLK (11)

Based on Los Angeles letter 11/6/67 and addendum Special Investigative Division 11/14/67 re [redacted] Bond Default.

Copies prepared and attached for placing in personnel files of Henry F. Alston, [redacted], Claude E. Willis, [redacted], [redacted], George A. Paine, Jr., and James J. Conway.

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September 20, 1967

PERSONAL

Mr. Wesley G. Grapp
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Los Angeles, California

Dear Grapp:

The action you took in preventing the use of the Bureau's name in a disparaging and inaccurate manner in the production of a film by a motion picture studio is appreciated.

Your efforts have resulted in insuring that the best interests of the FBI were protected and your diplomacy was noteworthy. I am pleased to commend you.

Sincerely,

J. Edgar Hoover

1 - [redacted] (Sent Direct)

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Based on Jones-Bishop memo 9/15/67 re Portrayal of the FBI in the Motion Picture, "The President's Analyst," Paramount Pictures, Inc.

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December 4, 1967

Mr. Wesley G. Grapp
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Los Angeles, California

Dear Mr. Grapp:

Sheriff Frank Bland of San Bernardino, California, recently sent me two complimentary letters regarding the assistance he received from the FBI in connection with a Police Supervisors Training Academy which was conducted by the Bureau. Copies of his letters and my reply are enclosed.

I want you to know how much I appreciate this excellent representation of the FBI by you and my other associates in the Los Angeles Office. Please express my thanks to them for the fine manner in which they discharged their responsibilities.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

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Enclosures (3)

- 1 - Mr. Bishop
- 1 - Mr. DeLoach
- 1 -

(Sent with memo to AG of same date)

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REPORT OF MEDICAL EXAMINATION

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1. LAST NAME—FIRST NAME—MIDDLE NAME GRAPP, WESLEY G.			2. GRADE AND COMPONENT OR POSITION SPECIAL AGENT IN CHARGE		3. IDENTIFICATION NO. ***
4. HOME ADDRESS (Number, street or RFD, city or town, zone and State) 4240 Bon Homme Road Woodland Hills, California			5. PURPOSE OF EXAMINATION ANNUAL PHYSICAL		6. DATE OF EXAMINATION 17 Nov 67
7. SEX Male	8. RACE Cauc	9. TOTAL YEARS GOVERNMENT SERVICE MILITARY 0 CIVILIAN 21		10. AGENCY FBI	11. ORGANIZATION UNIT ***
12. DATE OF BIRTH 10/19/18		13. PLACE OF BIRTH Aberdeen, South Dakota		14. NAME, RELATIONSHIP, AND ADDRESS OF NEXT OF KIN Wife - Carolyn K. Grapp Same Address	
15. EXAMINING FACILITY OR EXAMINER, AND ADDRESS WADSWORTH VA HOSPITAL, W. Los Angeles, Calif.				16. OTHER INFORMATION ***	
17. RATING OR SPECIALTY				TIME IN THIS CAPACITY (Total)	LAST SIX MONTHS

CLINICAL EVALUATION		
NOR- MAL	(Check each item in appropriate column; enter "NE" if not evaluated.)	ABNOR- MAL
	18. HEAD, FACE, NECK, AND SCALP	
	19. NOSE	
	20. SINUSES	
	21. MOUTH AND THROAT	
	22. EARS—GENERAL (Int. & ext. canals) (Auditory acuity under items 70 and 71)	
	23. DRUMS (Perforation)	
	24. EYES—GENERAL (Visual acuity and refraction under items 59, 60 and 67)	
	25. OPHTHALMOSCOPIC	
	26. PUPILS (Equality and reaction)	
	27. OCULAR MOTILITY (Associated parallel movements, nystagmus)	
	28. LUNGS AND CHEST (Include breasts)	
	29. HEART (Thrust, size, rhythm, sounds)	
	30. VASCULAR SYSTEM (Varicosities, etc.)	
	31. ABDOMEN AND VISCERA (Include hernia)	
	32. ANUS AND RECTUM (Hemorrhoids, fistulae) (Prostate, if indicated)	
	33. ENDOCRINE SYSTEM	
	34. G-U SYSTEM	
	35. UPPER EXTREMITIES (Strength, range of motion)	
	36. FEET	
	37. LOWER EXTREMITIES (Except feet) (Strength, range of motion)	
	38. SPINE, OTHER MUSCULOSKELETAL	
	39. IDENTIFYING BODY MARKS, SCARS, TATTOOS	
	40. SKIN, LYMPHATICS	
	41. NEUROLOGIC (Equilibrium tests under item 72)	
	42. PSYCHIATRIC (Specify any personality deviation)	
	43. PELVIC (Females only) (Check how done)	
	<input type="checkbox"/> VAGINAL <input type="checkbox"/> RECTAL	

NOTES. (Describe every abnormality in detail. Enter pertinent item number before each comment. Continue in item 73 and use additional sheets if necessary.)

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(Continue in item 73)

44. DENTAL (Place appropriate symbols above or below number of upper and lower teeth, respectively.) O—Restorable teeth X—Missing teeth (6 X 8)—Fixed bridge, brackets to include abutments I—Nonrestorable teeth XXX—Replaced by dentures																REMARKS AND ADDITIONAL DENTAL DEFECTS AND DISEASES	
R	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	L
I	32	31	30	29	28	27	26	25	24	23	22	21	20	19	18	17	E
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Adequate

45. URINALYSIS: A. SPECIFIC GRAVITY 1.016				46. CHEST X-RAY (Place, date, film number and result) Negative chest			
B. ALBUMIN 1+		D. MICROSCOPIC 1-2 wbc Rare rbc		50. OTHER TESTS See Item #73			
C. SUGAR 0							
47. SEROLOGY (Specify test used and result) VDRL Nonreactive 5 DEC 13 1967				48. EKG Within normal limits		49. BLOOD TYPE AND RH FACTOR	

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MEASUREMENTS AND OTHER FINDINGS

51. WEIGHT 6' 1"	52. WEIGHT 185	53. COLOR-HAIR Brown	54. COLOR EYES Blue	55. BUILD: (Check one)	SLENDER	MEDIUM	HEAVY <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	OBESE	56. TEMPERATURE 98° 10		
57. BLOOD PRESSURE (Arm at heart level)				58. PULSE (Arm at heart level)							
A. SITTING SYS. 110 DIAS. 80	B. RECUMBENT SYS. DIAS.	C. STANDING (3 min.) SYS. DIAS.	A. SITTING 76	B. AFTER EXERCISE 90	C. 2 MIN. AFTER 80	D. RECUMBENT 66	E. AFTER STANDING 3 MIN. 82				
59. DISTANT VISION			60. REFRACTION			61. NEAR VISION					
RIGHT 20/ 20	CORR. TO 20/	BY S.	CX	J#3	CORR. TO	J#1	BY Rx				
LEFT 20/ 20	CORR. TO 20/	BY S.	CX	J#3	CORR. TO	J#1	BY Rx				
62. HETEROPHORIA (Specify distance)											
ES°	EX°	R. H.	L. H.	PRISM DIV.	PRISM CONV. CT	PC	PD				
63. ACCOMMODATION		64. COLOR VISION (Test used and result)			65. DEPTH PERCEPTION (Test used and score)		UNCORRECTED				
RIGHT	LEFT	*					CORRECTED				
66. FIELD OF VISION		67. NIGHT VISION (Test used and score)			68. RED LENS TEST		69. INTRAOCULAR TENSION				
70. HEARING		71. AUDIOMETER						72. PSYCHOLOGICAL AND PSYCHOMOTOR (Tests used and score)			
RIGHT WV	15 /15 SV	15 /15		250 256	500 512	1000 1024	2000 2048	3000 2896	4000 4096	6000 6144	8000 8192
LEFT WV	15 /15 SV	15 /15	RIGHT								
			LEFT								

73. NOTES (Continued) AND SIGNIFICANT OR INTERVAL HISTORY

50) 11-17-67 HEMATOLOGY: WBC 7132, Neutro 53, Lympho 45, Mono 2, Plat. Adq., Sec. Rate 16, CSR 16, Hemato 47

11-17-67 P.B.I. UG/100 ML Results 8.0 Normal Range 4.0 8.0

11-17-67	GLUCOSE FSTNG. MG/100ML	Results	Normal	Range
		70.0	60.00	90.0
11-17-67	URIC ACID MG/100 ML	9.4	3.0	7.0
11-17-67	Cholesterol, MG/100 ML	265.0	140.0	300.0
11-17-67	Creatinine, MG/100 ML	1.4	0.6	1.2

(Use additional sheets if necessary)

74. SUMMARY OF DEFECTS AND DIAGNOSES (List diagnoses with item numbers)

None

* Color Vis test passed. Per phys dated 10-29-65
jpw 12-18-67

75. RECOMMENDATIONS—FURTHER SPECIALIST EXAMINATIONS INDICATED (Specify)

77. EXAMINEE (Check)

A. ☒ IS QUALIFIED FOR Special Agent in Charge, F.B.I.
B. ☐ IS NOT QUALIFIED FOR

78. IF NOT QUALIFIED, LIST DISQUALIFYING DEFECTS BY ITEM NUMBER.

79. TYPED OR PRINTED NAME OF PHYSICIAN

J. S. CORRELL, M.D.

80. TYPED OR PRINTED NAME OF PHYSICIAN

81. TYPED OR PRINTED NAME OF DENTIST OR PHYSICIAN (Indicate which)

82. TYPED OR PRINTED NAME OF REVIEWING OFFICER OR APPROVING AUTHORITY

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76. A. PHYSICAL PROFILE

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B. PHYSICAL CATEGORY

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**Attachment to Standard Form 88, Report of Medical Examination
For Information and Guidance of Medical Examiner**

Name of Examinee GRAPP, WESLEY G.
(Type or print) Last First Middle

The following portions of the attached examination report form need not be completed:

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3	11	65	72
4	14	67	76
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46. Is necessary unless facilities for affording same are not readily available.
48. Not required unless examinee is over 35 years of age or examination indicates such is desirable.
49. Is necessary unless facilities for affording same are not readily available.
71. Audiometer examinations should be afforded whenever possible for all Special Agent applicants and Special Agents. Applicants for the Special Agent position will not be accepted if the hearing loss exceeds a 15 decibel average in either ear in the conversational speech range (500, 1000, 2000 cycles).

For All Examinees, Whether Clerical or Special Agent Applicants or Employees:

The medical examiner should answer the following question:

Examinee ☒ is ☐ is not qualified for strenuous physical exertion.

To be Answered in the Case of All Male Employees and Male Applicants:

- Does examinee have any defects restricting or prohibiting his participation in defensive tactics and dangerous assignments which might entail the practical use of firearms?
☒ No ☐ Yes If "yes" please specify defects. _____
- Does examinee have any defects prohibiting safe operation of motor vehicles?
☒ No ☐ Yes If "yes" please specify defects. _____
- For safe driving of motor vehicles, Civil Service Commission requires distant vision must test at least 20/40 in one eye and 20/100 in the other, corrected or uncorrected. Should examinee wear corrective glasses while operating a motor vehicle? ☐ Yes ☒ No
If recommendation is based on a factor other than above standard, indicate basis _____

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Desirable Weight Ranges for Males

Height	Small Frame	Medium Frame	Large Frame
5'4"	117 - 125	123 - 135	131 - 148
5'5"	120 - 129	126 - 139	134 - 152
5'6"	124 - 133	130 - 143	138 - 157
5'7"	128 - 137	134 - 148	143 - 162
5'8"	132 - 141	138 - 152	147 - 166
5'9"	136 - 146	142 - 156	151 - 170
5'10"	140 - 150	146 - 161	155 - 175
5'11"	144 - 154	150 - 166	160 - 180
6'	148 - 158	154 - 171	164 - 185
6'1"	152 - 163	158 - 176	169 - 190
6'2"	156 - 167	163 - 181	174 - 195
6'3"	160 - 171	168 - 186	178 - 200
6'4"	169 - 180	178 - 196	188 - 210
6'5"	174 - 185	182 - 202	192 - 216

4. Examinee's frame is ☐ small ☐ medium ☒ large

5. Considering above weight table, the examinee's frame, and other individual physical characteristics, I consider his present weight ☒ Satisfactory ☐ Excessive ☐ Deficient

6. Under proper medical supervision, employee should ☐ lose _____ pounds
☐ gain _____ pounds

Remarks: _____

J. S. Gorrall M.D.

 Signature of Medical Examiner

Nov. 17, 67

 Date

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : Director, FBI

DATE: 12/6/67

FROM : SAC, Los Angeles

Attention: Personnel Section

SUBJECT: WESLEY G. GRAPP, SAC
Physical Examination

☐ Remylet _____.

☐ ReBulet _____.

☒ Re physical examination 11/17/67 _____.

☐ Dental work was completed on _____.

☐ Vision has been corrected to _____ Employee specifically instructed _____ by _____ that he can operate a Bureau car _____ (date) _____ (name of person giving instruction)

only when wearing the necessary glasses. **repeat**

☒ Results of ☐ chest X ray ☐ patch test ☒ urinalysis ☐ serology were negative.

☐ Enclosed physician's statement indicates he is qualified for strenuous physical exertion and use of firearms.

☐ Enclosed are ☐ paid ☐ unpaid medical bills.

☐ Attached are Bureau of Employees' Compensation forms _____

☒ Physical examination reports are enclosed.

☐ Employee is scheduled for physical examination on _____.

☐ Physical examination report has been reviewed and initialed.

☐ Employee returned to active duty _____.

☐ Employee's physical condition is _____.

☐ UACB he is being removed from limited duty.

☐ UACB he is being placed on limited duty.

Remarks:

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January 15, 1968

PERSONAL

Mr. Wesley G. Grapp
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Los Angeles, California

Dear Grapp:

I do not want the occasion to pass without commending you for your excellent supervision of the investigation of the Interstate Transportation in Aid of Racketeering-Gambling case involving [redacted] and others.

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You directed this important investigation in an adroit and aggressive fashion which resulted in the success achieved. I want you to know of my appreciation.

Sincerely,

J. Edgar Hoover

1 - [redacted] (Sent Direct)

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Based on Adams-Callahan memo 1/9/68 re [redacted] aka; and others; Interstate Transportation in Aid of Racketeering-Gambling; Perjury; Obstruction of Justice; Interstate Transportation of Stolen Property - Recommendations for Commendations and Incentive Awards.

Salutation per file.

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January 17, 1968

Mr. Wesley G. Grapp
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Los Angeles, California

Dear Mr. Grapp:

I am pleased to commend, through you, those agents in the Los Angeles Office who participated so effectively in the investigation and apprehension of [redacted] and [redacted] [redacted] two of the subjects of a Bank Robbery case.

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These men performed in a highly efficient, courageous and imaginative manner and their fine efforts resulted in the apprehension of the two subjects. I want you to convey my appreciation to them for their exemplary performance.

Sincerely yours,
J. Edgar Hoover

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1 - SAC, Los Angeles (Personal Attention)

Based on information submitted, Bureau does not consider individual letters of commendation, as you recommended, are warranted. Place copy of this letter in files of participating personnel.

1 - [redacted] (Sent Direct) REC-136
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Based on Adams-Callahan memo 1/11/68 re Recommendations For Incentive Awards and Letters of Commendation, Los Angeles Office - BR Matter.

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Copies prepared and attached for placing in personnel files of: (over)

Mr. Wesley G. Grapp
FBI, Los Angeles



Edward Scott, Jr.
William P. Crawford

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, Los Angeles

DATE: 2/6/68

FROM : Director, FBI

PERSONAL ATTENTION

SUBJECT: IN-SERVICE AND/OR CONFERENCES (BANK ROBBERY SCHOOL)

☒ You are hereby instructed to report to Seat of Government for In-Service Training commencing March 18, 1968.

☐ You should instruct _____ Special Agent(s) to report to Seat of Government, Room 5240, at 9:30 A. M. Monday, _____ for attendance at an In-Service Training Course for a period of twelve days. You should not schedule Agents on probation, limited duty, or those recommended for specialized training.

☐ You should instruct the following Agent(s) to report to Seat of Government, Room 5240, at 9:30 A. M. Monday, _____ for attendance at an In-Service Training Course for a period of twelve days:

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Confirm attendance.

☒ There are enclosed statements with respect to the In-Service Training Course which you should furnish to the Special Agent(s).

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1 - Mr. Casper

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① Personnel file of Wesley G. Grapp

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February 19, 1968

Mr. Wesley G. Grapp
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Los Angeles, California

Dear Mr. Grapp:

It is a pleasure to commend, through you, the personnel who participated so ably in the investigation and apprehension of [REDACTED], the subject of two Bank Robbery cases.

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These men discharged their assignments with aggressiveness and ingenuity which resulted in determining [REDACTED] whereabouts and in effecting his apprehension without incident. Please express my appreciation to them for a job well done.

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Sincerely yours,
J. Edgar Hoover

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COMM-FBI

1 - SAC, Los Angeles (Personal Attention)

Based on information submitted, Bureau does not consider individual letters of commendation, as you recommended, are warranted. Place copy of this letter in files of all participants.

1 - [REDACTED] (Sent Direct)

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Based on Los Angeles letter 2/9/68 and addendum Special Investigative Division 2/16/68 re [REDACTED] Fugitive; BR.

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Copies prepared and attached for placing in personnel files of: (OVER)

Mr. Wesley G. Grapp
FBI, Los Angeles

Robert G. Ibbott
Howard E. Westphal
James J. Conway
Francis M. Mullen, Jr.

[REDACTED]

Charles F. Ogle
Richard D. Rogge

[REDACTED]

William A. Bailey

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March 13, 1968

Mr. Wesley G. Grapp
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Los Angeles, California

Dear Grapp:

[redacted], of the Regular
Common Carrier Conference, has written me a most
complimentary letter concerning your recent address
before the Operations Committee of the Board of
Governors of his organization. Copies of his letter
and of my reply are enclosed.

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His comments are most favorable and
I want to express my appreciation for your efforts
which have reflected so creditably upon the Bureau.

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Sincerely,

J. Edgar Hoover

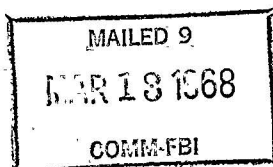
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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : Director, FBI

DATE: 3/8/68

FROM : SAC, Los Angeles

SUBJECT: WESLEY G. GRAPP
SAC, Los Angeles
IN-SERVICE 3/18-29/68

Mr. Tolson	✓
Mr. DeLoach	✓
Mr. Mohr	✓
Mr. Bishop	✓
Mr. Casper	✓
Mr. Callahan	✓
Mr. Conrad	✓
Mr. Felt	✓
Mr. Gale	✓
Mr. Rosen	✓
Mr. Sullivan	✓
Mr. Tavel	✓
Mr. Trotter	✓
Tele. Room	✓
Miss Holmes	✓
Miss Gandy	✓

It is realized the Director has a very busy schedule. It would be appreciated, however, if I could have a colored picture taken with Mr. HOOVER sometime while I am back at the Bureau. This picture would be for display in the office.

The previous picture I had taken with the Director is over ten years old and is in black and white. If his schedule does not permit I fully understand.

2 - Bureau
1 - Los Angeles

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March 25, 1968

Mr. Wesley G. Grapp
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Los Angeles, California

Dear Mr. Grapp:

It is a pleasure to commend, through you, the personnel of the Los Angeles Office who capably assisted the Los Angeles County Sheriff's Office in a vandalism matter.

These employees, while on a weekend excursion, displayed much alertness and aggressiveness when observing a group of teenagers departing a cabin which they believed to have been burglarized. Upon obtaining the license numbers of the cars and in promptly notifying the appropriate authorities, these individuals have been identified and the police may be in a position to solve numerous burglaries in the area. The high caliber of their performance is certainly noteworthy and I am appreciative.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

1 - SAC, Los Angeles (Personal Attention)

Place copy of this letter in files of participating personnel.

1 - [redacted] (Sent Direct)

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Based on Los Angeles letter 3/19/68 re [redacted] and others, Recommendation for Letter of Commendation.

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**ELECTION, DECLINATION, OR WAIVER
OF LIFE INSURANCE COVERAGE**
FEDERAL EMPLOYEES GROUP LIFE INSURANCE PROGRAM

**IMPORTANT
AGENCY INSTRUCTIONS
ON BACK OF ORIGINAL**

TO COMPLETE THIS FORM—

1 FOLLOW THESE GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS:

- Read the back of the "Duplicate" carefully before you fill in the form.
- Fill in BOTH COPIES of the form. Type or use ink.
- Do not detach any part.

2 FILL IN THE IDENTIFYING INFORMATION BELOW (please print or type):

NAME (last)	(first)	(middle)	DATE OF BIRTH (month, day, year)	SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER	
GRAPP	WESLEY	G.	October 19, 1918	504	10 0962
EMPLOYING DEPARTMENT OR AGENCY			LOCATION (City, State, ZIP Code)		
FBI			Los Angeles, California 90017		

3 MARK AN "X" IN ONE OF THE BOXES BELOW (do NOT mark more than one):

Mark here
if you
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ELECTION OF OPTIONAL (IN ADDITION TO REGULAR) INSURANCE

I elect the \$10,000 additional optional insurance and authorize the required deductions from my salary, compensation, or annuity to pay the full cost of the optional insurance. This optional insurance is in addition to my regular insurance.

Mark here
if you
DO NOT WANT
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DECLINATION OF OPTIONAL (BUT NOT REGULAR) INSURANCE

I decline the \$10,000 additional optional insurance. I understand that I cannot elect optional insurance until at least 1 year after the effective date of this declination and unless at the time I apply for it I am under age 50 and present satisfactory medical evidence of insurability. I understand also that my regular insurance is not affected by this declination of additional optional insurance.

Mark here
if you
WANT NEITHER
regular nor
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WAIVER OF LIFE INSURANCE COVERAGE

I desire not to be insured and I waive coverage under the Federal Employees Group Life Insurance Program. I understand that I cannot cancel this waiver and obtain regular insurance until at least 1 year after the effective date of this waiver and unless at the time I apply for insurance I am under age 50 and present satisfactory medical evidence of insurability. I understand also that I cannot now or later have the \$10,000 additional optional insurance unless I have the regular insurance.

**4 SIGN AND DATE. IF YOU MARKED BOX "A" OR "C",
COMPLETE THE "STATISTICAL STUB." THEN RETURN
THE ENTIRE FORM TO YOUR EMPLOYING OFFICE.**

SIGNATURE (do not print)

Wesley G. Grapp

DATE

2/9/68

FOR EMPLOYING OFFICE USE ONLY

(official receiving date stamp)

FEB 14 1968

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See Table of Effective Dates on back of Original

ORIGINAL COPY—Retain in Official Personnel Folder

STANDARD FORM No. 176-T
JANUARY 1968
(For use only until April 14, 1968)
176-101

INSTRUCTIONS TO EMPLOYING AGENCY

1. **Who must file.**—All employees not excluded by law or regulation from insurance coverage, including those who have previously waived coverage, are required to complete and file Standard Form 176-T. Employees who are in the service on February 14, 1968, as well as those who are appointed after that date but before April 14, 1968, must file the form.
2. **Automatic cancellation of previously filed waivers.**—All "Waivers of Life Insurance Coverage" (SF 53) on file are automatically canceled as of the first day of the first pay period beginning on or after February 14, 1968. Payroll offices are to begin regular insurance deductions on the automatic cancellation date for employees who do not file a new waiver, i.e., those who do not check box C of SF 176-T, on or before that date.
3. **Employees failing to file.**—If an employee does not return a completed SF 176-T, contact him and urge him to do so even if he does not want optional insurance (he will, of course, be automatically covered for regular insurance). If he still fails to file SF 176-T by April 14, 1968, or 31 days after appointment, whichever is later, file one for him as of that date: mark box B, and note in the space provided for his signature "employee contacted—failed to elect optional insurance." See note 2 below.
4. **Review of completed forms.**—(a) Review both copies of the SF 176-T for legibility, completeness, and consistency. Reconcile with the employee any obvious major

discrepancy such as a mark in more than one box.

(b) If the employee marked box A or box C, make sure the Statistical Stub is complete. Then detach and mail stubs, in a bundle, weekly to:

Office of Federal Employees' Group Life Insurance
(Statistical Study)
4 East 24th Street
New York, New York 10010

(c) If the employee marked box B, detach and destroy the stub.

5. **Date of receipt and effective date.**—(a) Stamp date of receipt by employing office in the space provided for this purpose on both the Original and the Duplicate.

(b) The effective date is determined from the table below.

6. **Disposition of forms.**—(a) File the Original SF 176-T in the official personnel folder in all cases.

(b) Any necessary payroll change, with effective date, may be posted in the space reserved on the Duplicate for employing office.

(c) The Duplicate may be destroyed, if no payroll action is required, or after the requirements of the agency's payroll system have been met.

7. **Use of SF 176-T.**—SF 176-T "Election, Declination, or Waiver of Life Insurance Coverage" should not be used after the initial filing period (after April 14, 1968). A revised edition will be available for use after that date.

TABLE OF EFFECTIVE DATES

DATE SF 176-T RECEIVED BY EMPLOYING OFFICE	EMPLOYEE'S DECISION	EFFECTIVE DATE (IF NO WAIVER, SF 53, IN EFFECT)	
		OF DECISION	OF DEDUCTIONS
On or before February 14, 1968.	Elects optional (in addition to regular) (box A).	Coverage effective February 14, 1968.	Deductions begin 1st day of 1st pay period beginning on or after February 14, 1968.
	Declines optional (but not regular) (box B).	Declination effective February 14, 1968.	
	Waives regular (so ineligible for optional) (box C).	Waiver effective last day of pay period in which February 14, 1968 falls.	Deductions stop last day of pay period in which February 14, 1968 falls.
After February 14 but not later than April 14, 1968.	Elects optional (in addition to regular) (box A).	Coverage effective on date of receipt.	Deductions begin 1st day of 1st pay period beginning on or after date of receipt.
	Declines optional (but not regular) (box B).	Declination effective on date of receipt, but employee loses automatic optional protection on February 14, 1968.	
	Cancels previously elected optional (but not regular) (box B).	Cancellation effective last day of pay period in which received.	Deductions for optional stop last day of pay period in which received.
	Waives regular (so ineligible for optional) (box C).	Waiver effective last day of pay period in which received.	Deductions stop last day of pay period in which received.

NOTES: 1. Because regular insurance coverage and deductions are automatic unless waived (by checking box C), A and B elections do not affect regular insurance effective dates.

2. An employee for whom the agency files SF 176-T because he failed to file is deemed to have declined optional, but not regular, insurance.

3. An employee with an uncanceled waiver (SF 53) on file cannot be insured any earlier than the first day he is in duty and pay status in a pay period beginning on or after February 14, 1968; filing of an SF 176-T before that date will not cancel an SF 53 any earlier. Deductions begin the day he becomes insured.

4. The effective date of regular (and optional) insurance coverage for an employee who has been on leave without pay for more than 1 year is the first day he is in pay and duty status. Deductions are effective the same day.

March 25, 1968

Mr. Wesley G. Grapp
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Los Angeles, California

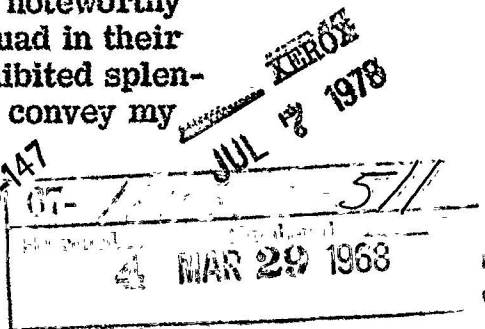
Dear Mr. Grapp:

I want to commend, through you, the personnel in the Los Angeles Office who worked so skillfully in connection with the identification of the victims of the crash of a Greyhound Bus and an automobile near Baker, California, on March 7, 1968.

These employees rendered noteworthy assistance to the Bureau's Disaster Squad in their identification of the victims. They exhibited splendid dedication to duty and I want you to convey my appreciation to them.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover



1 - SAC, Los Angeles (Personal Attention)

Place copy of this letter in the files of all participating personnel.

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Based on Whitwam-Trotter memo 3/20/68 re Crash of Greyhound Bus #2254 & Private Automobile Near Baker, California, 3/7/68, Identification Matter.

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Mr. Wesley G. Grapp
FBI, Los Angeles



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Mr. Wesley G. Grapp
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Los Angeles, California

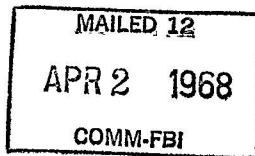
Dear Grapp:

It is a pleasure to advise you that your services for the period April 1, 1967, to March 31, 1968, have merited an Outstanding rating. A copy of this rating is enclosed, which you may retain.

It is also my pleasure to advise you that I have approved an incentive award of \$500.00 for you in recognition of your invaluable services during the past year. A check representing this award will be forwarded to you at a later date. I do not want the occasion to pass without expressing my deep appreciation for your valued assistance in carrying out the tremendous responsibilities with which the Bureau is charged.

Sincerely,

J. Edgar Hoover



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Enclosure

- 1 - Payroll Distribution (Sent Direct)
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Director, FBI

Wesley G. Grapp
SPECIAL AGENT IN CHARGE

The above-captioned Special Agent attended the following training course(s):

In-Service: from 3/18/68 to 3/29/68

☐ Criminal☐ Accounting☐ Security☐ Expert Firearms-Defensive Tactics☐ Basic☐ Advanced☒ Bank Robbery In-Service

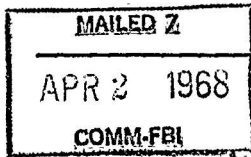
The firearms scores should be entered on the individual field firearms training record (FD-40). The following grades were attained.

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Examination	_____	
Shotgun Course #2	_____	19/25
Rifle	_____	90
Machine Gun	_____	92
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Specialized Training:

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1-SAC WESLEY G. GRAPP
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April 2, 1968

MEMORANDUM FOR MR. TOLSON

On March 18, 1968, I saw Special Agent in Charge Wesley G. Grapp of the Los Angeles Field Division. Mr. Grapp is one of the older SACs, makes an excellent personal appearance, and I would rate him above average.

I spoke to him about the number of cases closed per Agent per month in the Los Angeles Field Division, which was 11.4 cases per Agent in February and I stated I believed they should be closing between 12 and 13 cases per Agent per month.

I noted that since July 1, 1967, the Los Angeles Office has recruited 18 Special Agents and 3 clerical employees, and I stressed the necessity of intensifying our efforts in procuring above average employees to fill vacancies as they occur in the Bureau.

I commented favorably upon the fact that his office had increased in accomplishments in the four major statistical areas for the first eight months of the current fiscal year when compared with a similar period of the previous fiscal year and he should endeavor to maintain this record.

I commented upon the fact that his Agents were spending 15.5% of their time in the office in February, which I considered to be highly excessive and he should make an effort to reduce this.

I stressed to Mr. Grapp the value of informant coverage in all fields of our work, noting that the Los Angeles Office has ☐ criminal informants, ☐ racial informants, and ☐ security informants, and the necessity for intensification of the development of top level informants.

I called Mr. Grapp's attention to the results of the inspection of the Los Angeles Office last July wherein it was rated Very Good or Excellent in all categories.

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DATE 4-3-68
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Memorandum for Mr. Tolson

April 2, 1968

I noted that the Agents of the Los Angeles Office in February had averaged two hours and forty-nine minutes overtime per day, which while excessive I did not believe could be materially reduced in view of the volume of work and shortage of personnel. I stated I wanted to emphasize the fact that I did not want any unnecessary overtime and whatever overtime was performed must be equitably shared by all or fringe benefits should be rescinded in those cases wherein the Agents are not able to equitably share the overtime.

I spoke to Mr. Grapp about the space situation in Los Angeles and he indicated he believed now they would not be able to move into the new space as of September, 1968, but probably would be able to move in by the end of the year.

I called Mr. Grapp's attention to the fact that there were 372 bank robberies, 21 bank burglaries, and 4 bank larcenies pending unsolved in the Los Angeles Office and this should be given prompt attention.

I spoke to Mr. Grapp about the racial situation in Los Angeles, both among the colored population as well as among the Mexican-American population, and he should be certain he has adequate informant coverage in both areas.

I likewise made similar observations about the Black Nationalist Movement in Los Angeles, which has nine extremist organizations with a total membership of approximately 390.

I also spoke to him about the activities of the Communist Party and the need for intensive coverage of their activities.

I observed that I noted there was a great deal of new left activity in the area covered by the Los Angeles Office as there were 19 organizations under investigation that were affiliated with the new left movement. I stressed the importance of adequate coverage of these groups.

Memorandum for Mr. Tolson

April 2, 1968

I commented favorably upon the work of the Los Angeles Office against La Cosa Nostra within that field division. I stated I wanted the pressure to be kept on and every effort should be made by him to have the United States Attorney bring to trial the subjects against whom indictments have already been returned involving members of this group.

Very truly yours,

J. E. H.

John Edgar Hoover
Director

SENT FROM D. O.	
TIME	10:50 A.M.
DATE	4-8-68
BY	

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WESLEY G. GRAPP

April 1, 1968

Mr. Tolson ✓
Mr. DeLoach ✓
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Mr. Bishop ✓
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Mr. Callahan ✓
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Mr. Felt ✓
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Tele. Room ✓
Miss Holmes ✓
Miss Gandy ✓

Personal

Mr. J. Edgar Hoover
Director
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Hoover:

Upon my return to Los Angeles after attending In-Service and having the pleasure of being with you I did not want the day to pass without extending to you sincere appreciation. It was most considerate of you to give so freely of your time in your interview. Your comments, observations and indicated course of action were carefully noted and, of course, will be followed.

May I take this means of again thanking you for the fine autographed picture which will be displayed in the office.

I hope you will continue to be blessed with much happiness and good health and will serve for many more years as our Director.

With warm personal regards

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Sincerely,

Wesley Grapp
Wesley Grapp

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April 4, 1968

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Miss Holmes ✓
Miss Gandy ✓

Personal

Mr. J. Edgar Hoover
Director
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Hoover:

It was with a great amount of pleasure that I read your letter of April 2, 1968, with enclosures giving me an outstanding performance rating along with a cash award.

I am deeply appreciative of your efforts in this regard and sincerely hope that I will continue to run this office in a manner that is pleasing to you.

Although I can always use the money, the recognition by you means even more.

With warm personal regards,

Sincerely,

Wesley Grapp

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

REPORT OF PERFORMANCE RATING

Name of Employee: WESLEY G. GRAPP

Where Assigned: LOS ANGELES
(Division) (Section, Unit)

Official Position Title and Grade: SPECIAL AGENT IN CHARGE

Rating Period: from April 1, 1967 to March 31, 1968

ADJECTIVE RATING: OUTSTANDING
Outstanding, Excellent, Satisfactory, Unsatisfactory

Employee's
Initials

Rated by: [Signature] Assistant to the Director 4/2/68
Signature Title Date

Reviewed by: [Signature] Associate Director 4/2/68
Signature Title Date

Rating Approved by: [Signature] Director 4/2/68
Signature Title Date

TYPE OF REPORT

☒ Official
☒ Annual

☐ Administrative
☐ 60-Day
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☐ Special

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**WESLEY G. GRAPP
SPECIAL AGENT IN CHARGE
LOS ANGELES DIVISION**

During the rating period April 1, 1967, to March 31, 1968, Mr. Grapp was Special Agent in Charge of our Los Angeles Division. In view of the exceptional manner in which he administered and directed the activities of this office he is deserving of an Outstanding performance rating.

Under Mr. Grapp's capable leadership, this territory has been exploited to the fullest extent, particularly with regard to criminal activities and organized crime. Mr. Grapp has had a wealth of experience in supervisory and administrative positions and his progress in the Bureau is attributed to his exceptional ability, unusual drive and dedication to the FBI.

He has a tremendous capacity for work and approaches all his assignments with the utmost enthusiasm and sincerity of purpose. He has consistently demonstrated great resourcefulness in evaluating the many problems which come to his attention and has shown the ability to quickly arrive at proper conclusions. He makes a substantial personal appearance, is always meticulously attired and makes a profound impression in his contacts. His congenial personality, remarkable initiative and outstanding ability combine to characterize him as a splendid Bureau representative.

The consistently dedicated efforts of Mr. Grapp and, particularly, his determination to enhance the stature of the Bureau, have resulted in unusual achievements in his division and certainly merit an Outstanding performance rating.

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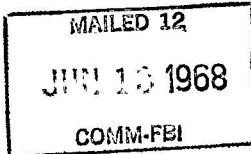
June 13, 1968

Mr. Wesley G. Grapp
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Los Angeles, California

Dear Mr. Grapp:

It is a pleasure to commend, through you, those agents in the Los Angeles Division who performed in such an exemplary manner in the investigation to locate James Earl Ray, the subject of a Civil Rights-Conspiracy case.

Through the resourceful and skillful efforts of these men in carrying out their assignments in this difficult case, they contributed to the success achieved. Please convey my appreciation to them.



Sincerely yours,
J. Edgar Hoover

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1 - SAC, Los Angeles (Personal Attention)

Place a copy of this letter in files of personnel who participated in this matter but were not individually recognized.

1 - [redacted] (Sent Direct)

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Based on memo Adams - Callahan 6-12-68 re MURKIN.

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**UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION**

*In Reply, Please Refer to
File No.*

Director
Federal Bureau of Investigation
United States Department of Justice
Washington, D. C. 20535

Dear Sir:

For inclusion in the fund to be paid to the designated beneficiary of any Special Agent of the FBI who has previously contributed to this fund and who dies from any cause except self-destruction while employed as a Special Agent, I am forwarding herewith (by Check - Money Order) the sum of \$20, payable to S.A.I.F., to be included in said fund. Payment will be made for death by self-destruction after the Agent has been a member of the fund for a continuous period of two years. It is understood and agreed that the sum tendered herewith is a voluntary, gratuitous contribution to said fund which I understand is to be administered in the following manner.

The Director of the FBI will appoint a committee which shall consider all matters pertaining to the acquisition, safe keeping and expending of said fund, which committee will recommend appropriate action to the Director in pertinent matters. The Assistant Director of the Administrative Division of the FBI shall receive all contributions and account for same to the Director. Upon the death of any Special Agent who is a member of said fund the appointed committee will consider the case and submit a recommendation to the Director as to its conclusions. Appropriate instructions will then be issued to the Assistant Director of the Administrative Division, directing him to pay to the designated beneficiary the sum of \$20,000. The liability of the fund shall not under any circumstances exceed the amount of monies in the fund at the time any liability shall occur.

EXECUTE IN DUPLICATE AND SUBMIT BOTH COPIES TO THE BUREAU

Official Bureau Name (please type or print)	Date	Office of Assignment (or SOG Division)
SA WESLEY G. GRAPP	5/20/68	Los Angeles, Calif.

The following person is designated as my beneficiary for Special Agents Insurance Fund:

Name (primary beneficiary; use given first name if female)	Relationship
CAROLYN K. GRAPP	Wife

Address
c/o FBI, 1340 West Sixth Street, Los Angeles, California 90017

Name (contingent beneficiary, if desired; use given first name if female)	Relationship

Address

Do you desire to designate the above-listed beneficiaries as the beneficiary and contingent beneficiary respectively of the Chas. S. Ross Fund as well? ☒ Yes ☐ No If not, the entire following portion must be executed.

The following person is designated as my beneficiary under the Chas. S. Ross Fund providing \$1500 death benefit to beneficiary of agents killed in the line of duty, other than travel accidents.

Name (primary beneficiary; use given first name if female)	Relationship

Address

Name (contingent beneficiary, if desired; use given first name if female)	Relationship

Address

Very truly yours,

Payment to
Special Agents Insurance Fund

J. Edgar Hoover, Director

Wesley G. Grapp
Special Agent

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June 13, 1968

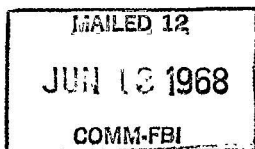
PERSONAL

Mr. Wesley G. Crapp
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Los Angeles, California

Dear Crapp:

It is a pleasure to commend you for your splendid direction of the investigation in the Los Angeles Division to locate James Earl Ray, the subject of a Civil Rights-Conspiracy case.

The success achieved in this important and difficult case can be attributed in no small degree to your effective leadership of the investigation in your division. I want you to know of my appreciation.



Sincerely,
J. Edgar Hoover

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Based on memo Adams-Callahan 6-12-68 re MURKIN.

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Mr. Wesley G. Grapp
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Los Angeles, California

Dear Grapp:

I am pleased to commend you for your splendid direction of the investigation of the Anti-Racketeering case involving [redacted]

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You gave this difficult case close, personal supervision and your effective leadership has contributed immeasurably to the success achieved in the prosecution of [redacted] I am most appreciative.

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Sincerely,

J. Edgar Hoover

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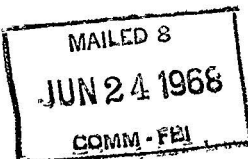
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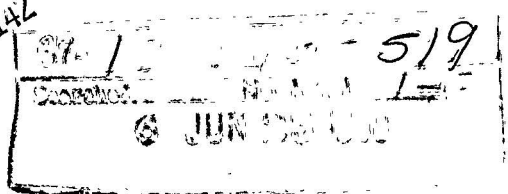
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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : Mr. W. C. Sullivan

DATE: 6/18/68

FROM : W. R. Wannall

SUBJECT: SPECIAL AGENT IN CHARGE WESLEY G. GRAPP
SPECIAL AGENT [REDACTED]
SPECIAL AGENT [REDACTED]
LOS ANGELES DIVISION
RECOMMENDATION FOR CENSURE

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Memorandum is to recommend censure for captioned employees for delay in reporting a matter of security interest and for failure to maintain degree of police liaison adequate to keep Director advised of incidents of vital interest to him. If approved, letters of censure to be prepared by Administrative Division.

SYNOPSIS:

On 6/1/68 members of a militant Mexican-American group known as the Brown Berets were arrested in Los Angeles. Their arrests resulted in sizable demonstrations there on 6/1 and 2/68 and triggered a demonstration against Department of Justice building in Washington, D. C. on 6/3/68 by elements of the Poor Peoples Campaign (POCAM). Los Angeles had failed to notify Bureau of local demonstrations and explanations were requested for this failure and for possible inadequate informant coverage in Brown Berets needed to fill Bureau's needs. In his explanation Special Agent (SA) [REDACTED] shows he has developed penetrative coverage but the loosely-knit nature of membership precludes advance knowledge of spontaneous demonstrations which materialized. Police liaison he had established, while productive in the past, failed to produce needed data over weekend in question. Special Agent in Charge (SAC) Grapp has recommended [REDACTED] be censured for delayed reporting but has recommended no other action. SA [REDACTED], as relief supervisor of case, explained that he was in Los Angeles area during weekend in

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Enclosures

- 1 - Mr. DeLoach
- 1 - Administrative Division
- 1 - [REDACTED]
- 1 - Mr. Sullivan

RECOMMENDATIONS - OVER

- 1 - Mr. G.C. Moore
- 1 - Mr. Wannall
- 1 - [REDACTED]

- 1 - Personnel files of SA [REDACTED] and SA [REDACTED]

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Memorandum to Mr. W. C. Sullivan
RE: SPECIAL AGENT IN CHARGE WESLEY G. GRAPP

question but received no notice of demonstrations or action by Brown Berets necessitating Bureau notification until he reported for duty 6/3/68. SAC Grapp points out arrests were made on basis of secret indictments precluding earlier notice to Bureau of action in Los Angeles. He points out Los Angeles had no basis for knowledge of forthcoming demonstration in Washington on 6/3/68. This is not at issue as prior notice to Bureau of arrests and demonstrations on 6/1 and 2/68 would have allowed Bureau to notify Department of Justice of reason for demonstrations in Los Angeles and fact that two of the indicted subjects were present in Washington with elements of POCAM. Grapp points out that continued liaison with Los Angeles Police Department (LAPD) failed to produce necessary information over weekend in question.

RECOMMENDATIONS:

1. That SAC Wesley G. Grapp be censured for failing to establish adequate police liaison to insure notification to the Bureau in items of vital security interest to it. - *PSB*

I can't see why we are censuring Grapp.
JSB
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I agree

2. That SA [] be censured for his inadequate supervision of a security matter of pressing security interest to the Bureau. Proposed letter attached. *✓*

3. That SA [] be censured for his inadequate handling of a security investigation and delay in reporting information. Proposed letter attached. *✓*

If approved, appropriate letters of censure will be prepared by the Administrative Division.

epa *JSB* *WGS* *ps*
DETAILS - OVER

Memorandum to Mr. W. C. Sullivan
RE: SPECIAL AGENT IN CHARGE WESLEY G. GRAPP

DETAILS:

Background: On 6/3/68 elements of POCAM picketed the Department of Justice resulting in locking of all exits; extra and extreme security precautions being taken within the building; and confrontation of the Attorney General by POCAM elements on 6/4/68. The demonstration was triggered by arrests in Los Angeles of members of a militant Mexican-American group known as the Young Chicanos for Community Action (Brown Berets). Arrests took place on 6/1/68 and were followed by sizable demonstrations by Mexican-American elements in Los Angeles on that date and on 6/2/68. Two of the 13 Brown Berets indicted by the Los Angeles grand jury were with the POCAM Mexican-American contingent in Washington. We asked SAC, Los Angeles, to obtain explanations for failure, or delay, in reporting details of the Los Angeles demonstrations to Bureau. We also asked for explanations as to inability of informant coverage of Brown Berets to supply prior notification of the demonstrations in Los Angeles.

In his explanation SA [] points out that he has developed penetrative informants within the Brown Berets including the head of security within that organization.

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[] has noted however that the loosely-knit nature of the membership of the organization precludes maximum individual coverage of members and therefore could not produce the information as to the spontaneous demonstrations which took place on 6/1 and 2/68 as a result of the arrests of the seven members of the Brown Berets in Los Angeles. He notes that he has developed a strong liaison relationship with LAPD which has produced positive information in the Brown Berets investigation in the past. This liaison relationship however did not produce for him information relative to the activities of the group on the weekend of 6/1-2/68. He notes that on 6/3/68 his liaison contacts advised him of what had gone on over the weekend and emphasized the nature of secret indictments handed down by the Los Angeles grand jury. At that time he was additionally advised that two of the 13 persons indicted were not in the Los Angeles area but were believed to be with elements of POCAM in Washington, D. C. He states that he received no information over the weekend in question regarding the demonstrations in Los Angeles but prepared a teletype to the Bureau regarding same after learning details thereof on 6/3/68. (Teletype arrived at Bureau well after demonstration in Washington had commenced.)

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Memorandum to Mr. W. C. Sullivan
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Observations: The secret nature of the indictments was removed with the service of these indictments on the subjects by the LAPD on 6/1/68. Knowledge that the two indicted subjects were in Washington was also in the hands of the LAPD on 6/1/68 and effective liaison with the LAPD would have produced, without violating the secrecy of the indictments, information for the Bureau indicating that a possibility existed that persons under indictment for civil demonstrations in Los Angeles were present in POCAM Mexican-American contingent and this information would have been immediately furnished to the Department of Justice and would have been available for the Director in evaluating the nature of the forthcoming demonstration which materialized on 6/3/68. The informant coverage on the Brown Berets appears to be productive but could not be expected to produce information of the independent action of the two indicted subjects who had traveled separately to Washington, D. C. The demonstrations were reported in news media in Los Angeles and information thereof should have been available to [redacted] through this media or through his liaison with the LAPD had same been effective.

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SA [redacted] was the relief supervisor on the desk responsible for investigation of Brown Berets. He explains that he was in Los Angeles during the weekend in question, received no information regarding the demonstrations in Los Angeles and he was unaware of any of this activity until he reported for duty on Monday, 6/3/68.

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Observations: Having been in Los Angeles during the weekend, [redacted] should have known of the 6/1-2/68 demonstrations through news media or should have previously effected arrangements to have important developments in matters under his supervision called to his attention. The field is under instructions to report all protest demonstrations of potential Bureau interest to the Bureau on a timely basis. As relief supervisor (the regular supervisor was on leave from 5/29 to 6/3/68) [redacted] had a fixed responsibility to see that the demonstrations were promptly reported.

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In commenting on his office's responsibility in this matter, SAC Grapp emphasizes the fact that the arrests of the members of Brown Berets in Los Angeles were made on secret indictments and that this secrecy was observed by LAPD to extent of failing to furnish information to the Bureau during the weekend. The information was not furnished to Los Angeles Office until 6/3/68 and Grapp feels that lack of earlier notification prevented his office from notifying the Bureau earlier of the nature of the arrests.

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Memorandum to Mr. W. C. Sullivan
RE: SPECIAL AGENT IN CHARGE WESLEY G. GRAPP

Grapp points out that his office had no means of obtaining prior knowledge of the planned demonstration in Washington, D. C. on 6/3/68 which used as its basis the arrests of the seven Brown Berets in Los Angeles.

Grapp notes that the demonstrations in Los Angeles should have been known to SA [] as they occurred and although peaceful should have been promptly reported to the Bureau. He has recommended censure for SA [] for his delay in reporting these demonstrations.

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Observations: The secrecy of the indictments handed down by the Los Angeles grand jury was removed when the indictments were first served by the LAPD on 6/1/68 and information regarding them should have been available to the Los Angeles Office through effective police liaison channels. At that time we would have learned that two of the indicted individuals were not in Los Angeles but were in Washington with elements of the Mexican-American contingent of POCAM. Whether or not Los Angeles Office was aware of the planned demonstration in Washington or whether Los Angeles should have been in a position to obtain such information is not at issue here. Had Los Angeles merely reported the arrests of the Mexican Americans in Los Angeles and the presence of the two indicted subjects in Washington that information could have been furnished by the Bureau to the Department of Justice and would have been available to the Director for his evaluation in analyzing the basis for the demonstration which took place 6/3/68 at the Department of Justice building.

Mr. Grapp, as SAC, has overall responsibility for establishment of effective police liaison and standing Bureau instructions have alerted him of need to notify Bureau of all demonstrations of a protest nature which may be of potential interest to the Bureau. The Los Angeles Office, through its police liaison, should have impressed on the LAPD the Bureau's interest in matters of this nature to a degree sufficient to insure notification to appropriate Los Angeles Office officials or Agents during off-duty hours over the weekend of 6/1-2/68. Grapp's liaison with LAPD was obviously inadequate and reporting of the incidents noted by his office was delayed as has been previously pointed out.

July 16, 1968

Mr. Wesley G. Grapp
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Los Angeles, California

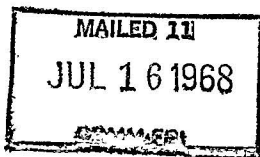
Dear Mr. Grapp:

I want to commend you and the personnel of your division for your splendid statistical accomplishments for the fiscal year 1968.

It is evident that everyone discharged his assignments with keen interest, enthusiasm and vigor to achieve such superior results. I do not want the occasion to pass without expressing my appreciation to all.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover



- 1 - SAC, Los Angeles (Personal Attention)
Place copy of this letter in files of participating personnel.
1 - SOG Los Angeles Office Personnel File

1 - [] (Sent Direct)

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Based on memo Rosen to DeLoach 7-9-68 re: Criminal Investigations - Accomplishments, Fiscal Year 1968.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : Mr. DeLoach

DATE: June 10, 1968

FROM : J. H. Gale

SUBJECT: SPECIAL AGENT HAROLD F. DODGE; SPECIAL AGENT [REDACTED];
SPECIAL AGENT [REDACTED]; SPECIAL AGENT [REDACTED];
SPECIAL AGENT JOHN ROBERT BARRON, ALL OF LOS ANGELES OFFICE
RECOMMENDATION FOR INCENTIVE AWARDS

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SPECIAL AGENT IN CHARGE WESLEY G. GRAPP, LOS ANGELES;
SPECIAL AGENT JOHN F. KEHOE, JR.
SPECIAL AGENT [REDACTED] BOSTON DIVISION;
SPECIAL AGENT EARL H. WILLIAMS, LABORATORY;
SPECIAL AGENT THOMAS J. BIAMONTE, LEGAT, ROME
RECOMMENDATION FOR COMMENDATIONS

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Special Agents in Charge (SACs), Los Angeles and Boston, have recommended that captioned Agents of the Los Angeles Office and Special Agents (SAs) [REDACTED] and Kehoe, Boston; Williams, Laboratory; and Biamonte, Legat, Rome, receive incentive awards and commendations as indicated for meritorious work performed in connection with the conviction of [REDACTED], a key La Cosa Nostra member residing in Los Angeles.

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This case involves the investigation, indictment, arrest and prosecution of [REDACTED], a La Cosa Nostra member who represents the Chicago family interests on the West Coast.

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We have had [REDACTED] under continuous investigation since 1957. In late 1963 and early 1964, SAs [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] were responsible for obtaining from several top echelon informants information indicating that [REDACTED] was actually [REDACTED] who was born in [REDACTED]; was brought to the United States as a minor; and who had never become a United States citizen.

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Extensive and persistent investigation by a number of Agents, particularly SA Dodge at Los Angeles and SA Kehoe at Boston, led to proof of the above information. The United States Attorney, Los Angeles, after repeated contact by SA Dodge, decided to prosecute [REDACTED] as an alien who had not registered and who had failed to keep the Attorney General informed of his changes of address.

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1 - Mr. DeLoach
1 - Mr. Bishop
1 - Mr. Callahan

1 - Mr. Conrad
1 - Mr. Sullivan
1 - Mr. Gale
1 - Mr. Staffeld

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See addendum by Domestic Intelligence Division, page five.

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Memorandum to Mr. DeLoach
Re: Special Agent Harold F. Dodge

Trial in this matter began in U.S. District Court, Los Angeles, 4/23/68. A defense maneuver by [] during trial was his claim that he had derivative U.S. citizenship because his mother, [], had married a U.S. citizen in 1923. SA [] in Boston obtained a signed statement from [], wherein she stated she had been told by the man she purported to have married in 1923 that the marriage was not legal as her bigamous husband b6 then had a wife living in Italy. Both SA [] in Boston and b7C SA Biamonte in Italy conducted immediate and extensive investigation involving arduous checking of a mass of old vital statistic records, obtained documentary proof the purported marriage was bigamous and was therefore invalid for the purpose of passing derivative citizenship to []. A total of 83 documents were entered as trial exhibits.

SA Earl H. Williams of the Laboratory examined a number of documents containing false and forged entries in the birth b6 records at Chicago filed by [] when he was attempting to b7C perfect a spuriously documented background for his assumed identity and citizenship as []. These documents and SA Williams' testimony greatly assisted in discrediting Roselli's claim during trial.

[], who finally during trial was forced to admit he is [], was convicted on May 23, 1968, on all b6 six counts charging alien registration violations. [] now b7C faces deportation as an alien, but not before he is tried on seven other interstate gambling and related counts for which he has been indicted and for which he is presently on trial at Los Angeles.

SAC Wesley G. Grapp handled the overall supervision of this investigation from its inception at Los Angeles, and SA John F. Kehoe, Jr., was formerly case Agent at Boston and supervised the expedite investigation conducted by SA [].

OBSERVATIONS OF THE SPECIAL INVESTIGATIVE DIVISION:

The Special Investigative Division concurs in the recommendations of SACs, Los Angeles and Boston, that captioned Agents be granted incentive awards and commendations. In addition, it is recommended that SAC Wesley G. Grapp be awarded a letter of commendation for his excellent supervision of the daily activities of this case at Los Angeles.

Memorandum to Mr. DeLoach
Re: Special Agent Harold F. Dodge

ACTION:

It is recommended that:

Incentive awards be granted to Supervisor John Robert Barron, SAs [redacted], Harold F. Dodge, [redacted], and [redacted] of the Los Angeles Office for outstanding performance in this matter set out above.

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Letters of commendation be awarded to SAC Wesley G. Grapp, of the Los Angeles Office; to SAs [redacted] and John F. Kehoe, Jr., of the Boston Office; to SA Thomas J. Biamonte, Legat, Rome; and to SA Earl H. Williams, Laboratory, for meritorious performance of duties set out above.

That above recommendations be forwarded to the Laboratory Division for concurrence and comments with respect to SA Earl H. Williams. *see attached*

That above recommendations be forwarded to the Domestic Intelligence Division for concurrence and comments with respect to SA Thomas J. Biamonte. *see attached*

If approved, Administrative Division will handle.

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ADDENDUM BY ASSISTANT DIRECTOR GALE: McA:dlb 6-10-68

It is further recommended that a letter of commendation be awarded to Special Agent Alvin A. Staffeld, Jr., Section Chief, Criminal Intelligence and Organized Crime Section, for excellent work performed in organizing and directing expedite and extensive investigative work necessary at Boston, Massachusetts, and through Legat, Rome, necessary to disprove [redacted] claim to derivative citizenship proffered during trial at Los Angeles. Extensive record checks and investigation had to be gathered and rushed by pilot courier from Rome to Los Angeles in time for presentation before the end of [redacted] trial.

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LABORATORY COMMENTS:

Laboratory concurs with recommendations of the Special Investigative Division concerning the performance of SA Earl H. Williams. His considerable expertise, his enthusiasm, imagination and considerable effort resulted in extremely significant technical findings that contributed much to the success of this case. It is recommended that a letter of commendation be directed to him.

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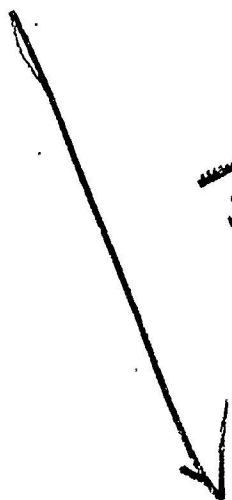
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August 6, 1968

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Mr. Wesley G. Grapp
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Los Angeles, California

Dear Mr. Grapp:

I want to commend, through you, those agents in the Los Angeles Office who participated so effectively in the investigation and apprehension of Top Ten Fugitive [redacted], the subject of six Bank Robbery cases, and his two associates.

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These agents, acting as a concerted team, accounted for the apprehension without incident of [redacted] and his associates. It was their professional competence, faultless performance and courageous actions that brought this matter to a successful conclusion and I want you to express my appreciation to them.

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Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

1 - SAC, Los Angeles (Personal Attention)

Place a copy of this letter in files of personnel who participated in this matter but were not individually recognized.

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1 - [redacted] (Sent Direct)

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Based on Eddy-Gale memo 8/1/68 re [redacted], aka, Fugitive. IO # [redacted]; Top Ten Fugitive. Bank Robbery; Parole Violator.

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July 17, 1968

Mr. Wesley G. Grapp
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Los Angeles, California

Dear Mr. Grapp:

It is a pleasure to commend, through you, Assistant Special Agent in Charge Richard D. Rogge, and those agents who participated so capably in the investigation and apprehension of [redacted] and his wife, [redacted] the subjects of an Extortion case.

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Working as a team, those men handled their respective assignments resourcefully and aggressively. Their diligent efforts culminated in the arrest of the subjects. Please express my appreciation to Mr. Rogge for his splendid on-the-scene direction and leadership and to the others for their fine services.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

1 - SAC, Los Angeles (Personal Attention)

Based on information submitted, Bureau does not consider individual letters of commendation, as you recommended, are warranted. Place copy of this letter in personnel files of all participants.

1 - [redacted] (Sent Direct)

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Based on Los Angeles letter 7/8/68 and addendum Administrative Division 7/16/68 re [redacted] Extortion. Recommendation for Commendation.

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Copy prepared and attached for placing in file of ASAC Richard D. Rogge.

August 29, 1968

Mr. Wesley G. Grapp
Federal Bureau of Investigation
~~Los Angeles~~ California

Dear Mr. Grapp:

I want to commend, through you, those agents in the Los Angeles Division who performed so capably in the apprehension of [redacted] [redacted], the subject of a Crime on a Government Reservation case.

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The alertness and well-planned action of these agents in effecting the arrest of this dangerous fugitive without incident are an indication of excellent teamwork and aggressiveness. I want you to convey my appreciation to them for their noteworthy services.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

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1 - SAC, Los Angeles (Personal Attention)

Based on information submitted, Bureau does not consider individual letters of commendation, as you recommended, are warranted. Place copy of this letter in files of participating agents.

1 - [redacted] (Sent Direct)

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Based on Los Angeles letter 8/20/68 and addendum Special Investigative Division 8/26/68 re [redacted]

aka, [redacted] - Fugitive;

CGR - Murder.

Copies prepared and attached for placing in personnel files of SAs [redacted] and Charles W. [redacted]

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TO SAC ~~LOS ANGELES~~ *F.O.*
FROM DIRECTOR FBI

PERSONAL ATTENTION

I WANT TO PERSONALLY COMMEND YOU AND THROUGH YOU THE
PERSONNEL OF THE LOS ANGELES OFFICE FOR THEIR OUTSTANDING
WORK IN THE KIDNAPING CASE CONCERNING [REDACTED] AS
A RESULT OF TEAMWORK AND COURAGEOUS ACTION THE YOUNG VICTIM
WAS RETURNED TO HIS PARENTS AND THIS DANGEROUS CRIMINAL WAS
CAPTURED. YOU UPHELD THE HIGHEST TRADITIONS OF THE FBI AND
I AM PROUD OF ALL OF YOU.

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September 3, 1968

PERSONAL

Mr. Wesley G. Grapp
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Los Angeles, California

Dear Grapp:

It is with pleasure that I commend you and advise that I have approved an incentive award for you in the amount of \$350.00 in recognition of the outstanding manner in which you supervised the overall investigation and apprehension of [redacted] the subject of a Kidnaping case. A check which represents this award will be forwarded to you at a later date.

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You afforded this complex and involved case exceptional direction from its inception. The resourcefulness, ingenuity and superb leadership you displayed in handling the many facets and in assigning agent personnel to insure all difficulties encountered were overcome contributed to the success realized. You performed in the best traditions of the FBI and I am appreciative.

Sincerely,

J. Edgar Hoover

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1 - [redacted] (Sent Direct)

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Award #164-69

Based on Los Angeles Teletype 8/30/68 and addenda General Investigative and Administrative Divisions 8/31/68 re [redacted] Kidnaping, AFO.

Salutation per file.

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WESLEY G. GRAPP

September 9, 1968

Mr. Tolson ✓
Mr. DeLoach ✓
Mr. Mohr ✓
Mr. Bishop ✓
Mr. Casper ✓
Mr. Callahan ✓
Mr. Conrad ✓
Mr. Felt ✓
Mr. Gale ✓
Mr. Rosen ✓
Mr. Sullivan ✓
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Miss Holmes ✓
Miss Gandy ✓

Personal

Mr. J. Edgar Hoover
Director
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Hoover:

It was most considerate of you to write as you did in your recent letter concerning the handling of the [redacted] Kidnaping case. Although I can always use to good advantage the incentive award it is even a greater reward to know that you approved of the manner in which this case was supervised.

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It is my sincere hope that I will continue to handle this office and its various problems in such a fashion that is pleasing to you.

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With all good wishes for continued excellent health and the fond hope you will remain as Director of the FBI for many years to come,

Sincerely,

Wesley Grapp

Wesley Grapp
SPECIAL AGENT IN CHARGE
LOS ANGELES OFFICE

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

Mr. Tolson	✓
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Mr. Callahan	✓
Mr. Conrad	✓
Mr. Felt	✓
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Miss Holmes	✓
Miss Gandy	✓

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI

DATE: 8/21/68

FROM : SAC, LOS ANGELES (62-6614)

SUBJECT: WILLIAM W. TURNER
FORMER FBI EMPLOYEE

INFORMATION CONCERNING

Re my calls to Bureau 7/30/68 and subsequent communications captioned as above.

As the Bureau is aware, a number of copies of the anonymous letter are in circulation. The exact number, of course, is unknown. It is known that the California State Department of Justice has a copy, as does the Chief of Police of Los Angeles as well as the Sheriff of Los Angeles County. Los Angeles City Administrator Dr. C. ERWIN PIPER had a copy. Some of these copies bore the notation on the top of page one to the effect that a copy had been furnished to me by KABC TV. This would tend to indicate the source as KABC TV.

On 8/14/68, [redacted] of Los Angeles Radio Station KPOL called and requested to set up an appointment with me. He wanted to discuss the article in the "Los Angeles Free Press" concerning the FBI. His request has not and will not be honored.

Former Agent CHARLES E. STINE again telephoned several times toward the end of last week, and I finally talked to him on 8/16/68. He stated the information pertaining to him that had appeared in the anonymous letter had been published in the "Los Angeles Free Press" and he was deeply disturbed about it. He said he was attempting to find the original source of such allegations concerning him and said that should he be successful he will telephone this office.

KHJ TV, Channel 9, Los Angeles, has a show entitled "Tempo" which is produced by [redacted]. It is a conversation

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and interview type show which airs controversial subject matters and caters to guests who have off beat ideas.

[redacted] was in contact with this office regarding the recent article which appeared in the "Los Angeles Free Press" concerning the FBI. It was stated that [redacted] of the "Los Angeles Free Press," had tentatively agreed to appear on the show to discuss the article. It was tentatively planned that during the [redacted] interview a telephone call would be made to [redacted] for his comments and observations. If it were possible, [redacted] stated he wanted to know if an official statement by the FBI could be made and aired over the show. The invitation was declined. There is no indication the tentative plans have materialized as yet.

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of the "Los Angeles Free Press" and is currently listed on the Reserve Index of the Los Angeles Division. The current circulation is approximately 90,000 papers for this weekly publication. [redacted] was reported to have been a member of the Socialist Workers Party from 1947 to 1948 and the Johnson Forrest Group from 1948 to approximately 1958. In 1958 he joined the Socialist Party. As of 1962 he was a registered voter as a Socialist.

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I have discussed this matter with the highly respected and prominent Los Angeles law firm of Nossaman, Waters, Scott, Krueger, and Riordan. They have an impeccable reputation in the community. They advise that beyond the shadow of a doubt under the California law I have been severely libeled and slandered as the allegations pertain to my professional competency. Under the California code the news media must be placed on notice within 21 days of the date of the libel coming to my attention or any subsequent legal action is estopped. As it pertains to individuals, the time element is one year. On personal stationery using my home address and on my own time on 8/20/68 I wrote personal letters to certain appropriate news media stating among other things that I believed their prior publication (this includes dissemination) of the anonymous letter, etc., is a violation of the California code. In accordance with statutory requirements I pointed out the

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allegations against me are false and requested a retraction and public apology. The purpose of such is to stop further circularization of the anonymous letter and its contents, discourage any further attacks, as well as to preserve any cause of action that may exist presently or in the future. I then have a year to file suit and it probably would not come to trial for several years thereafter. My personal letters were sent to the "Los Angeles Free Press," KHJ Radio, KABC TV, "San Fernando Valley Times," all in the Los Angeles area, as well as the "San Francisco Express Times." Such notification to individuals who could be defendants at some future date such as to WILLIAM TURNER, [redacted], etc. is not needed at this time. The writing of these personal letters at this time is solely for the purpose of preserving any rights that I may have. I will not institute suit as a Bureau employee without prior contact with the Bureau. I will do nothing to embarrass the Bureau or its officials. I am vitally interested in protecting the good name of the Director, the Bureau, its other officials and my own.

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[redacted], "Hollywood Close-up," wrote a lengthy "open letter" to KABC TV, Los Angeles, as published in his periodical "Hollywood Close-up" dated 8/29/68. The letter is lengthy and the part pertaining to [redacted] and his handling of the [redacted] interview and anonymous letter is enclosed. In the letter he severely castigates [redacted] and [redacted]. He then staunchly defended the Director, the FBI, and me. In summarizing he states the net effect of the mishandling of this interview by [redacted] "...was that J. Edgar Hoover, the head of one of the most vital agencies of the government, and Wesley Grapp, the director of one of the most important key centers of the FBI, were subjected to vicious, vilifying, professional--and personal attacks..."

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A great many laudatory comments have been received concerning the Director, the Bureau, and its personnel and they have expressed regret at such an unfounded and unwarranted attack by [redacted] and others involved. Many have expressed surprise the FBI or its personnel officially or personally have not done something to stop the attacks by making those involved

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legally responsible for the vicious and false allegations. In my normal contacts and separately and without solicitation various responsible persons in the community have suggested personal legal action be undertaken. They included Los Angeles County Sheriff PETER J. PITCHESS, Los Angeles Chief of Police TOM REDDIN, Los Angeles Chief Administrative Officer C. ERWIN PIPER, and others. Law enforcement officers in this area have personally sued in the past and in some instances won their suits which involved libel and slander. I am told that in all instances the suit has a salutary effect upon those involved.

As the Bureau is aware, TURNER appears to be the original source and author of the anonymous letter distributed by [redacted] as TURNER had it in his possession last November when he talked to now retired former ASAC [redacted]. He has become more bold and brazen since his campaign of spite and vituperation started approximately eight or nine years ago. He has written two books that were published in recent months, "The Police Establishment," which is critical of law enforcement in general in our big cities. Just recently the book "Invisible Witness" by TURNER was published in which he reportedly is critical of the Director, others and the "scientific approach" by some. I continue to be "needled" and questions are asked as to what progress TURNER is making to ruin me and to get me transferred out of Los Angeles.

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The Bureau will be kept advised.

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HOLLYWOOD

CLOSE-UP

THE ELEVENTH YEAR - NO. 34

8011 Romaine Street • Hollywood, Calif. 90046

August 29, 1968

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DIRTY OLD MAN'S ABC PLOT

Although Howard Hughes has gone to almost psychotic lengths in the fixation of his personal anonymity, while at the same time coyly nurturing all his publicity as the bashful (sic!) and eccentric billionaire, his past as Hollywood's all-time dirty old man keeps catching up.

This guy's about as bashful and modest as an Andy Warhol movie.

The shocking background of his abortive attempt to take over the American Broadcasting Company -- blocked when CLOSE-UP challenged the Federal Communications Commission to examine his personal and professional antecedents as a motion picture producer -- was that he had it all fixed for the biggest heel in the annals of broadcasting, none other than Jungle Jim Aubrey, the Smiling Cobra, to assume the network presidency.

His delusion at the time, poor man, was that his mere prestige (sic!) would mesmerize the FCC.

Aubrey would have been all that had to happen to television -- as though it were not already in so much trouble that the whole fabric of franchises of the air -- generally overlooked as a property belonging to the public and given to the licensees without charge of any kind -- pure and simply what has become a license to steal -- may be blasted into legislation a hundred times more stringent within the next few years.

Aubrey, it is all too vividly recalled, was the ageing boy genius who was fired from the presidency of CBS-TV four years ago, as the direct result of a forty-two-week campaign in CLOSE-UP for (1) according three hours of prime time to Keefe Brasselle, who had never had the remotest previous experience behind the cameras, (2) for accepting kickbacks in the form of free penthouse apartments, chauffeured limousines and girls, girls, girls, and (3) for being involved, more than once, in beating up girls -- one affair, in Chicago, for instance, ending in ----.

L'affaire Aubrey at CBS was so salty, in fact, that after lawsuits were filed against the network for having given such a character such vast stock options, Aubrey had to relinquish them, with a loss of more than a million dollars.

However, it was not too difficult to see that Hughes, whose main obsessions have been those of flying and girls, girls, girls (supplied with black silk stockings), recognized a kindred spirit.

This was underlined in that Hughes' legal beagle, Greg Bautzer, the playboy of the Beverly Hills Polo Lounge, "sponsored" Aubrey, who, like Bobby Evans, of Paramount, his other protege, is his pal in the eternal chase after all the little starlets.

In the continuing series on Hughes and his beady image with the

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ENCLOSURE

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Now as it happens, I personally do not indulge in the remotest interest in sports -- at least, the outdoor variety -- but it is simply painful to accept Jim Healy, whose constant posture is always that of the smirk, the superciliousness, and, worst of all, the smug air of infallibility which he assumes.

But I just happened to note that despite that he sneered and disparaged and ran-down Bobby Ramos, and as good as despatched him to Forest Lawn, Ramos won his fight -- was it by a knockout? -- and, if that weren't enough, repeated the whole oily brutal sarcasm about Sonny Liston, and the guy just about murdered his opponent.

All right, he made two wrong guesses -- and CLOSE-UP, even, has been proven slightly less than axiomatic -- but isn't the viewer entitled to the simple graciousness of a retraction and some kind of apology? Not with Jim Healy. He forges right on, with all kinds of cuticisms, always outguessing Walter O'Malley, Jack Kent Cooper and the horses at the racetrack.

That's just one of the banalities of the whole hour, in fact -- everybody is trying to be so light, so gay, so tres charming and witty. Is this the Smothers Brothers -- or a news show?

Reverting to Baxter Ward, the other night he used a "teaser" or "trailer" in advance of the show per se the photographic and spoken text that the FBI locally was in the midst of an unprecedented scandal and upheaval.

It had a lot of sensationalism. It was obviously planted as the "hot" story of the day.

Well, Mr. Campbell, it is elementary in journalism that the main story makes for the front page-headline, first and foremost.

But Ward held the whole thing until almost the end of the entire hour, preceded with a long, long, long sequence of little cute children singing at a friendship ceremony at City Hall; the extended film of Robert Paige and the alcoholic women; the detailed and seemingly hardly-ever-ending reprise of the adoption centre; the sports by Jim Healy (with all those jokes and all that expertise), and the interminable shots

-- for what reason? -- of the paintings at Barnsdall Park, interspersed with a few legitimate clips of the Vietnam war and the political developments.

At last, he came on with it. As I got it, Mark Lane, the attorney mainly identified with the Warren Report attacks, had produced some letter or petition Ramsay Clark, the attorney general, and I somehow -- like most viewers, I was only getting the import, rather than the specific facts, that, among other things, J. Edgar Hoover was senile and a megalomaniac to a criminal degree, and somehow one also drew the inference that a lot of the local FBI force was on the verge of mass resignations. Maybe the text doesn't say exactly that, as I say -- but it somehow formed a pattern.

said he had indisputable proof that in a kidnap case, one of the FBI men had himself paid off a kidnapper, and then had been forced to let the felon escape, because Wesley Grapp, head of the Los Angeles office, had taken over the radio, and panicked, and was given over to such obscene language that it could not be transmitted to the other cars in the case.

First of all, isn't Mark Lane just a fugitive from all those other flakes and queers and dope addicts and nuts of all other varieties from the Joe Pyne show? Hasn't he long since reached the point of over-exposure? I mean, here's a guy who has even resorted to writing at great length about his "cause" in the Free Press, a degenerate organ for crackpots -- and for homosexuals baldly advertising for lovers, as are lesbians and threesomes. Isn't that enough to rule this character off a presumably ethical and reliable public organ such as the American Broadcasting Company?

Now the viewer had to listen to Mark Lane, drawing a rancidly raw picture of the FBI, charging that Hoover was virtually a basket case, and that two hundred cops and G-men were cut off for closing in on a kidnapper, all because Wesley Grapp was using a lot of dirty words on the radio setup.

It sounded to me like a damn serious situation -- and one that, if at all valid, belonged on the front page of every newspaper and as the headline of every television and radio news show.

To be sure the father of the kidnap victim, a responsible local businessman, the

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president of Gribaltar Savings and Loan, was presented, and stated that he himself was in one of the cars in the FBI encirclement, and that radio communications were never at any time interrupted, and that at no time did he hear any obscene language -- from anyone.

Then, finally, at long, long last -- was it something like twelve full minutes on the air? he lamely admitted that "the letter" which had spurred the entire contretemps was nothing more than a Xerox copy, lacking both a letterhead and a signature.

I submit, Mr. Campbell, that this is a staggering piece of shameless journalism.

I called the FBI to determine if Baxter Ward had checked out the story, and as usual in that organization's policy, they would issue no statement, except to say that ABC had been given no confirmation whatever.

It is obvious, therefore, that solely on the basis of a Xerox duplicate, lacking even the name of the writer, having no other information, Baxter Ward and his staff blew the whole thing into "news."

The mere concept of the head of one of the most important key centres of the FBI losing his cool, blowing his top, panic-stricken and reduced to hysterical obscenity, is utterly ludicrous and ridiculous.

But Baxter Ward was perfectly prepared to accept it --

And what is ten thousand times worse -- he was ready to have his viewers -- in his capacity as a valid, reliable journalist, speaking from the forum of one of the main television stations of the city -- take it from him that it all made sense.

God, what a monstrous fraud upon the public!

It is my belief that this constitutes a grievance with the Federal Communications Commission, grave enough to jeopardize your license.

You -- and Baxter Ward -- and your attorneys -- may feel it all very well -- and even good -- that he ultimately kissed

it all off -- but it's not that easy, not, as the fellow said, by a long shot,

It is not at all what Ward had to say in the figurative small print -- it was the black overcast that remained in the viewer's mind -- and the damage was done -- for it must be remembered that nearly everyone listens and watches with only half-an-ear and half-an-eye.

The net effect was that J. Edgar Hoover, the head of one of the most vital agencies of the Government, and Wesley Grapp, the director of one of the most important key centres of the FBI, were subjected to vicious, villifying professional -- and personal attacks

I attempted to secure some kind of rationalization or explanation from Baxter Ward, and was connected with Ron Burton, who, I was informed, was one of the editors.

He was loud, rude, arbitrary -- and, apparently in the news room image established by Ward -- terribly supercilious.

He advised me, if I had any complaint, to address a letter to you, Mr. Campbell.

The whole snow, aside from the various "straight" announcements of the war, or the riots, or the political campaigns, etcetera, seems entirely a "fun" hour for the participants.

Everyone is laughing it up, and making facial asides to somebody out of camera, and being ever so chummy with each other, and it's like an afternoon party, and (although it is understandable if one occasionally has to cough or stammer), Ward himself seems almost constantly in need of clearing his throat, correcting himself four or five times in almost every broadcast, and halting, stammering, re-tracing.

At five-thirty, when Frank Reynolds takes over in New York, it looks like the kids have been sent home for their afternoon naps, and the men have taken over.

Each reporter and commentator addresses himself to his material with intelligence, forthrightness -- and conscientious preparation -- and the entire script has

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September 23, 1968

Mr. Wesley G. Grapp
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Los Angeles, California

Dear Mr. Grapp:

I want to commend, through you, the personnel in the Los Angeles Office who performed so capably in the investigation and apprehension of Identification Order Fugitive [redacted] the subject of an Unlawful Flight to Avoid Prosecution case.

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These men conducted an intensive, resourceful and ingenious investigation and, as a result, located [redacted] despite the difficulties involved in tracing him due to extremely limited information. Thereafter, he was taken into custody without incident and I want you to convey my appreciation to them for their aggressive efforts.

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Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

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1 - SAC, Los Angeles (Personal Attention)

Based on information submitted, Bureau does not consider individual letters of commendation, as you recommended, are warranted. Place copy in personnel files of all participants.

1 - [redacted] (Sent Direct)

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Based on Los Angeles letter 9/13/68 and addendum Special Investigative Division 9/17/68 re [redacted] aka [redacted] Fugitive, I.O. Number [redacted] UFAP - Murder.

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Mr. Wesley G. Grapp
FBI, Los Angeles



Joseph J. Ross, Jr.



Richard D. Rogge
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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : Director, FBI

DATE: 9/6/68

FROM : SAC, Los Angeles *F.O.*

SUBJECT: ANONYMOUS LETTER TO ATTORNEY GENERAL
DATED 8/28/68 AT LOS ANGELES CONTAINING
VARIOUS ALLEGATIONS AGAINST THE DIRECTOR AND
OTHER BUREAU OFFICIALS

Mr. Tolson	✓
Mr. DeLoach	✓
Mr. Mohr	✓
Mr. Bishop	✓
Mr. Casper	✓
Mr. Callahan	✓
Mr. Conrad	✓
Mr. Felt	✓
Mr. Gale	✓
Mr. Rosen	✓
Mr. Sullivan	✓
Mr. Tavel	✓
Mr. Trotter	✓
Tele. Room	✓
Miss Holmes	✓
Miss Gandy	✓

As the Bureau is aware, the anonymous communication contains numerous lies, distortions, and falsehoods pertaining to a number of Bureau officials as well as myself. Some of the allegations and falsehoods are new although most of them are restatements and distortions of previously stated lies in other communications.

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It is stated among other things that "...several months ago GRAPP severely beat and abused his wife, who called a top aide to Sheriff PETER PITCHESS of Los Angeles County (himself a former FBI Agent), begging him to do something to protect her since the FBI would do nothing..." This revolting allegations is a lie. I feel embarrassed to have to dignify such an anonymous allegation with a reply. It appears that nothing is sacred to the anonymous letter writer, not even the marriage relationship between husband and wife. I fell in love with my wife and married her over 25 years ago. We grew up together and were childhood sweethearts. From this happy marriage we have had four wonderful children, all of whom live at home. We intend to remain married to each other the rest of our lives. If the Bureau desires affidavits under oath such will be obtained from me, and/or my wife. An appropriate affidavit can also be obtained from Sheriff PITCHESS.

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It would appear this most recent anonymous letter because of its content has been prepared or there has been assistance by persons in Washington, D. C. Most of the recent items mentioned in this letter do not appear to be known to personnel assigned to this office. Because of the distribution given this letter, that is copies to the Los Angeles FBI Office and to the Bureau which has not been done with other anonymous letters, it would appear the letter could have been distributed by someone who was not familiar with the distribution of the earlier undated letter.

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It is also to be noted this most recent letter is dated August 28, 1968, which is the date of the recent major kidnaping involving [redacted] and was postmarked on Friday, 8/30/68, which is the day of the solution of the case and the recovery of the victim. Nearly all of the Agent personnel in the office worked on this case or handled emergency assignments for long periods of time and consequently it would appear improbable that current personnel assigned to this office participated in the preparation or distribution of this letter.

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The possibility exists that WILLIAM W. TURNER of San Francisco has continued to act as a central repository for this "garbage" and has himself or has had one of his followers such as [redacted], ex-Agent [redacted], etc. mail it in Los Angeles.

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August 28, 1968

Mr. Wesley G. Grapp
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Los Angeles, California

Dear Grapp:

I have read with interest your communication of August 21, 1968, concerning the Turner-
[redacted] matter and particularly your action regarding this libelous material.

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Please continue to keep the Bureau advised of any further developments in this connection and of any other action you may consider taking in the future.

Sincerely,

J. Edgar Hoover

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- 1 - Mr. Mohr
- 1 - Mr. DeLoach
- 1 - Mr. Bishop

NOTE: In referenced letter, SAC Grapp advised he is taking preliminary legal action to protect any cause of action he may have against former SA William W. Turner and author [redacted] for slander in connection with a certain anonymous letter critical of the Bureau and of Grapp which recently received considerable publicity in the Los Angeles area.

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September 27, 1968

Mr. Wesley G. Grapp
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Los Angeles, California

Dear Mr. Grapp:

I want to commend, through you, those agents of the Los Angeles Division who performed so ably in the investigation and apprehension of Top Ten Fugitive [redacted], the subject of an Unlawful Flight to Avoid Prosecution case.

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These men performed in the highest tradition of the Bureau and, as the result of their noteworthy efforts, [redacted] was taken into custody without incident. Please express my appreciation to them.

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Sincerely yours,
J. Edgar Hoover

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1 - SAC, Los Angeles (Personal Attention)

Place a copy of this letter in files of personnel who participated in this matter but were not individually recognized.

1 - [redacted] (Sent Direct) REC-150

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Based on memo Rosen-DeLoach 9/23/68 re [redacted]
[redacted], aka, UFAP - Fugitive, Top Ten Fugitive.

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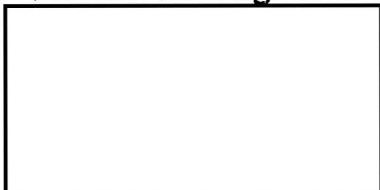
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Mr. Wesley G. Grapp
FBI, Los Angeles

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MR. TOLSON

November 1, 1968

W. M. FELT

INSPECTION - LOS ANGELES OFFICE
ASSISTANT DIRECTOR W. MARK FELT - INSPECTOR
10/10/68 - 10/24/68

SUMMARY

Officials: Wesley G. Grapp, SAC since 3/1/64. Richard D. Rogge, ASAC since 8/13/67. Last inspection: 7/31/67 - 8/17/67.

Physical Condition and Maintenance - Very Good (Last Inspection - Very Good). Space secure and well maintained but extremely crowded. Move to new Federal Building, West Los Angeles, now scheduled for March or April, 1969. Resident Agencies secure and well maintained. 96 of 255 cars inspected -- no safety defects noted. Fleet adequate and storage secure. Accidents increased (17 to 21); 6 employees held responsible -- defensive driving stressed.

Investigative Operations - Very Good (Last Inspection - Very Good). Racial situation relatively calm; however, potential for violence exists. Black Panther Party active. No active Klan or hate groups. Racial Informant Program very good but need for additional coverage in Black Panther Party and Nation of Islam. Ghetto informant coverage adequate.

Case load 9/30/68, 10, 511 (9665 active), up substantially from last inspection. Delinquency 5.2% but substantial reduction since last inspection. Case load per Agent slightly above and case closings approximate average similar offices. Accomplishments Fiscal Year (FY) 1968 up in all categories. First 3 months FY 1969 up in 3 categories but down 4% in convictions. 9 substantive errors -- slightly below average (handled separately). Since last inspection 268 of 413 bank robberies solved (64.9%); 10 of 20 burglaries and larcenies solved (50%); 358 violations remain pending unsolved. Total violations down sharply (32%) first 9 months of 1968. Criminal Intelligence and Interstate Gambling Activities Programs excellent -- 29 La Cosa Nostra members identified. Coverage La Cosa Nostra excellent through [redacted] informants - 6 convictions obtained since last inspection. Top-echelon informant program excellent, with [redacted] top-echelon informants. Criminal Informant Program excellent. Slight decrease in Communist Party (CP) membership. Office has excellent informant coverage in almost all CP clubs. Office instructed to intensify informant development in New Left movement. Chinese, Soviet, Soviet Bloc, and Cuban matters closely supervised and investigations penetrative. Double agent cases developing satisfactorily. Additional informant coverage among Cuban anti-Castro militants stressed. No civil rights deadlines missed; missed applicant deadlines below average; missed fugitive deadlines substantially above average.

Administrative Operations - Very Good (Last Inspection - Very Good). Los Angeles 18 desk office including SAC and ASAC -- justified and work load equitably distributed.

1 - Mr. Callahan (Att: Mr. J. B. Adams) (Sent Separately)

1 - Personnel Files of Wesley G. Grapp and Richard D. Rogge

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MEMO FOR MR. TOLSON
Re: Inspection - Los Angeles Office

Chief Clerk's Office well organized - functioning smoothly - pending and project work current. Misfiled index cards below field average. Form errors above average. No stenographic delinquency since last inspection. Stenographic and typing production below field average. Retyped pages well above field average -- need for accuracy emphasized. Confidential expenditures and imprest fund closely controlled. Improper trends corrected in preparation of vouchers, exhibits, complaint forms, daily reports, and in the recharging of serials. Time in office slightly above field average. Voluntary overtime essential, productive and equitably shared.

Personnel Matters - Very Good (Last Inspection - Very Good). On 10/10/68 on board complement 611 (364 Agents and 247 clerks) with clerk-Agent ratio 67.9% (field average 66%). Authorized complement 368 Agents and 227 clerks. SAC requested 13 additional Agents to bring complement to 384; by separate memorandum recommendation to hold complement at 368 approved. SAC requested increase in authorized clerical complement from 227 to 257. By separate memorandum Inspector's recommendation to increase total clerical force by 12 to 239 approved. Clerk-Agent ratio (368 Agents and 239 clerks) 64.9% -- slightly below average. 4 Agents on limited duty -- productive, retention justified. No Agents unavailable. One on probation -- retention justified. None overweight. Morale appears high.

Applicant Recruitment Matters - Very Good (Last Inspection - Excellent). 23 Agent applicants and 7 clerical employees entered on duty from Los Angeles since last inspection. Since assigned quota of one clerk per month 9/1/63, Los Angeles has recruited no clerks. Emphasis on meeting monthly clerical quota.

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Contacts - Excellent (Last Inspection - Excellent). [redacted] last inspection) provide excellent diversified services with wide geographic coverage. Speech, liaison, National Academy, and police training programs effective. Relations with news media generally favorable. Relations with U. S. Attorney cordial and very effective. All persons contacted spoke highly of the Director, FBI and Los Angeles personnel.

RECOMMENDATIONS:

1. Wesley G. Grapp, SAC since 3/1/64, GS-18 @ \$23,000, veteran, not on probation, 5th office as SAC. Makes substantial personal appearance, is a firm administrator, possesses excellent knowledge of Bureau procedures. He is a mature, experienced Bureau official. His capabilities qualify him to remain as SAC. If approved, attached letter summarizing inspection findings will be forwarded.

2. Richard D. Rogge, ASAC since 8/13/67, GS-15 @ \$21,033, veteran, not on probation, third office as ASAC. Rogge makes excellent personal appearance and is a dedicated, enthusiastic, hard-working employee. Inspector agrees with SAC's comments that ASAC Rogge qualified for advancement.

Memo for Mr. Tolson
Re: Inspection - Los Angeles Office

3. Recommendations concerning other personnel handled
separately.

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November 1, 1968

PERSONAL ATTENTION

Mr. Wesley G. Grapp
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Los Angeles, California

Dear Mr. Grapp:

I have reviewed the results of the recent inspection of the Los Angeles Office and have approved the following ratings for the various operations: Physical Condition and Maintenance, Investigative Operations, Administrative Operations, Personnel Matters, and Applicant Recruitment Matters - Very Good; Contacts - Excellent.

Your headquarters city office space, although very crowded, was found to be secure and well maintained. The space occupied by the resident agencies was also found to be secure and well maintained. I note the proposed move of the headquarters city office to the new Federal Building in West Los Angeles is now scheduled for next spring. The plans for this move should be followed closely and liaison with the General Services Administration must be aggressively maintained to insure that the Bureau's interests are protected.

The condition of your automotive fleet was found to be improved since the last inspection. No safety defects were detected in the automobiles inspected. Your automotive operating costs were found to be below the average; however, your repair costs exceeded the field average. You must continue to stress economy in both operating and repair costs applicable to your cars. The incidence of automobile accidents has increased since the last inspection indicating that additional emphasis must be placed on the need for defensive driving by all employees of your office. JUL 1968

I am pleased to note your statistical accomplishments for Fiscal Year 1968 exceeded those of the previous year in all categories. Your accomplishments for the first three months of Fiscal Year 1969, however, show you are down in the number of convictions recorded and ahead in the other three categories. I expect you to press vigorously to bring about a reversal in the decline in convictions.

1 - Mr. Callahan (Att: Mr. J. B. Adams) (With Enclosure)

1 - Personnel File of Wesley G. Grapp 1 - SOG Inspection File Los Angeles Off.

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Mr. Wesley G. Grapp

I am concerned that your delinquency has exceeded the field average each month for some time. While you have considerably reduced your rate of delinquency since the last inspection, it is still too high and every effort must be expended to effect further reductions.

As you well know, I am vitally concerned about racial matters and no phase of our operations is more critical. Although there have been no major racial disturbances in the Los Angeles area in recent months, the situation is extremely volatile. Some improvement has been noted in your Racial Informant Program but there is an urgent need for additional coverage in the Black Panther Party and the Nation of Islam.

I am pleased with the success achieved in solving bank robberies and burglaries since the last inspection and you should follow closely the Inspector's instructions and suggestions to even further improve your accomplishments. Your Criminal Informant and Security Informant Programs were both rated excellent. I am pleased to note the positive results achieved through the effective handling of double agents by your office.

I note your Criminal Intelligence and Interstate Gambling Activities Programs were rated excellent. The accomplishments of your office in this field are indeed gratifying and continue to be indicative of what can be done with an enthusiastic and aggressive approach.

The excessive number of missed fugitive deadlines seriously detracts from a better-than-average handling of applicant and civil rights matters wherein missed deadlines were below average. The nine substantive errors detected highlight the need for tighter supervision.

Your Chief Clerk's Office was found to be well organized and functioning smoothly. I was pleased to learn that misfiled index cards were below the field average. However, your stenographic and typing production was below the field average and the number of retypes was above average. Afford these matters your personal attention to insure improvement.

While your recruitment of twenty-three Agent applicants and seven clerical applicants since the last inspection is noteworthy, the fact remains that you have failed to recruit a single clerical applicant since being assigned a monthly quota of one in September, 1968. Your rating for Applicant Recruitment Matters is being downgraded to Very Good for this reason. Greater efforts must be expended to recruit clerical applicants for the Seat of Government where the need continues to be most critical.

Mr. Wesley G. Grapp

Your [] are providing diversified and quality coverage and your National Academy, liaison and police training programs appear effective.

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I have carefully evaluated your request for sixteen additional Agents. The Los Angeles Office is indeed a productive one and the factors which you cite as justification for an increase in Agent personnel are impressive. I must be guided, however, by the overall needs of the Bureau and in this regard it does not appear that your Agent personnel needs are any more urgent than those of most other offices. Closely follow such indicators as delinquency, the average number of active pending cases per Agent, the cases closed per Agent, and similar factors so that you will be immediately aware of any changes in the situation. In the meantime I expect you to insure the effective discharge of all Bureau responsibilities in your territory. You must impress upon the Agents the need for greater efficiency. With aggressive leadership, ingenuity and innovation, the job can be done. This is what I expect.

Concerning your request for an increase in your clerical complement, I have approved eleven additional clerks and one additional Radio Maintenance Technician at this time. With respect to your request for fifteen additional stenographers you have not justified this need to my satisfaction. Carefully follow your stenographic production for ninety days. Intensify training and other steps to increase production. If at that time you still feel additional stenographers are needed, you may resubmit your request, giving complete details as to production, work load and delinquency of your stenographic personnel.

You and your Assistant Special Agent in Charge must carefully study the inspection findings and within thirty days of receipt of this letter inform the Bureau of corrective action taken.

Sincerely yours,

John Edgar Hoover
Director

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NOTE: Memo from W. M. Felt to Mr. Tolson dated November 1, 1968, captioned "Inspection - Los Angeles Office; Assistant Director W. Mark Felt - Inspector; 10/10/68 - 10/24/68."

November 8, 1968

Mr. Wesley G. Grapp
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Los Angeles, California

Dear Mr. Grapp:

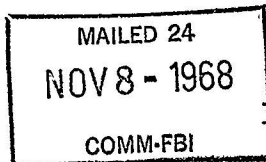
I want to commend you and, through you, those agents in the Los Angeles Office who participated so effectively in connection with the investigation and apprehension of [REDACTED], the subject of an Extortion case.

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Everyone performed his assignments in an exemplary fashion, thereby contributing to the success realized in this case with the apprehension of [REDACTED] without incident. I want to thank you for your splendid leadership and to ask you to convey my appreciation to the others for their exemplary efforts.

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Sincerely yours,
J. Edgar Hoover



- SAC, Los Angeles (Personal Attention)
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Based on Los Angeles letter 10/28/68 and addendum General Investigative Division 11/5/68 re [REDACTED]

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Federal Bureau of Investigation
Los Angeles, California

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November 21, 1968

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Mr. Wesley G. Grapp
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Los Angeles, California

Dear Mr. Grapp:

Bureau records disclose that you failed to meet your combined clerical quota for Seat of Government during the period September through October, 1968. You have been repeatedly advised of the critical need for qualified clerical employees, and it is apparent to me that you are not giving this program the necessary leadership required to achieve the desired results.

You should make absolutely certain that there will be no basis to again criticize you for a similar shortcoming.

Very truly yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

John Edgar Hoover
Director

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Based on memo Adams to Callahan dated 11/14/68, GLM:nmm.

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December 6, 1968

Mr. Wesley G. Grapp
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Los Angeles, California

Dear Mr. Grapp:

I want to commend, through you, those agents in the Los Angeles Office who participated so capably in connection with the apprehension of Identification Order Fugitive [redacted] one of the subjects of several Bank Robbery cases.

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Through the prompt and professional response of these men in this emergency situation, the Bureau's interests were promptly and completely secured. I want you to convey my appreciation to them for their exemplary efforts.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

1 - SAC, Los Angeles (Personal Attention)

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Based on Eddy-Gale memo 12/4/68 re [redacted]

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Letter to Mr. Wesley G. Grapp
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Los Angeles, California



Charles F. Ogle

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December 24, 1968

Mr. Wesley G. Grapp
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Los Angeles, California

Dear Mr. Grapp:

I want to commend, through you, those agents in the Los Angeles Office who performed in such a noteworthy fashion in the Theft from Interstate Shipment case involving [redacted] and others.

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These agents handled their assignments with laudable dedication and enthusiasm and, as a result, success was realized in the recovery of stolen property of great value and the arrest of two subjects. Please express my appreciation to them.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

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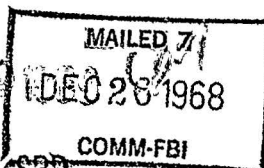
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Based on memo Rosen-DeLoach 12-17-68 and addendum Administrative Division 12-18-68 re [redacted] and others, TFIS.

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Mr. Wesley G. Grapp
FBI, Los Angeles

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